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Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, President General, receives degree of Doctor of Humanities from Lincoln Memorial University.  
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA, MAY 10, 1934. Dr. Samuel McCallum, President of the College, presents the diploma to Mrs. Talmadge.

## The President General's Message

MY VERY DEAR FRIENDS:

THE Congress of 1946 has become history. We stand upon the threshold of a new fiscal year, bright with promise and happy anticipation. The Rulings and Resolutions adopted by the 55th Continental Congress point the way toward great achievement through our chosen plans, and I am wishing for each and everyone of you crowning success in all of your undertakings. The magnificent reports of National Officers, National Chairmen and State Regents portrayed loyal effort and cooperation to the cause they love, during the two years of emergency, without the benefit of a Congress to spur them to enthusiastic endeavors. The results were outstanding and my personal praise and gratitude are but feeble expressions compared with what is in my heart.

The Congress in Atlantic City will never be forgotten by the 3500 delegates who were there. Not the attractions of the Boardwalk, nor the many social functions by states and individuals, deterred them from constant attendance at the business sessions. Their absorbed interest in the proceedings was an inspiration to me and I realize that the results accomplished could not have been possible but for their eagerness to be punctual in attendance and thoughtfully attentive. For the attitude of the Congress—the loyalty and enthusiasm displayed—I am eternally grateful. IT WAS A GREAT CONGRESS!! I wish everyone could have been there.

When our Congress was entirely finished—to the very last meeting—the Railroads declared their strike. Many were unable to leave Atlantic City because of lack of travel facilities. I was fortunate in being able to motor to Washington with the office-staff, where several days were spent in my office.

From May 29 to June 5th, I motored to two of our Approved Schools (Maryville College at Maryville, Tennessee, and Lincoln Memorial University at Harrogate, Tenn.) with Mrs. Van Court Carwithen,

National Chairman of Approved Schools, and Mrs. C. Edward Murray, 2nd Vice President General. It was delightful to tour these two splendid schools—with their beautiful and well kept grounds, substantial buildings—to meet the Board of Trustees, and at Lincoln Memorial University, to attend the graduating exercises and be a guest in one of the dormitories.

On June 3rd the Lincoln Memorial University bestowed upon me the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Humanities. This distinction is one of the greatest honors of my life and I value it above material things. I am grateful not only to the University that gave it, but to you, my friends, who made the honor possible—for I realize more than any one else, that it came to me because of our work together for the Society we love, the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Following these pleasant visits to the schools, I returned to Washington for a few days of work and then journeyed to New York State, where I visited Chapters in Rochester, Oneida and Canastota, Beacon, Richfield Springs and Johnstown. Gracious hospitality and warm welcome were extended by the fine regents, officers and members of these chapters—as well as by the State Regent of New York, Miss Edla Gibson, who is vitally interested in all phases of D. A. R. work and is enthusing her great state to loyal cooperation and support of our projects.

Another short visit to my office in Washington followed these meetings—and then home again in Georgia, where I am at the present time.

Faithfully and lovingly,

*May E. Talmadge*

President General,  
N. S. D. A. R.

## New National Officers, N. S. D. A. R.



MISS KATHARINE MATTHIES

**E**ACH Continental Congress of the society produces a group of new national officers whose services add to the efficiency of its work and bring new ability to its administration.

This was true, of course, of the 55th Continental Congress held in Atlantic City in May. The new officials bring special gifts and, without exception, had won laurels in a number of D. A. R. fields.

Two national officers, Miss Katharine Matthies, Corresponding Secretary General, and Mrs. Harry C. Oberholser, Curator General, were appointed by the National Board of Management sometime ago to fill vacancies but were formally elected at the Congress for these posts.

A capable national officer was secured in Miss Matthies, a veteran in D. A. R. achievement.

The following brief sketch brings out many interesting facts.

Miss Katharine Matthies was born in Seymour, Connecticut, the daughter of George E. Matthies and Annie Wooster Matthies.

A member of Sarah Ludlow Chapter since 1922, Miss Matthies has served her Chapter as Secretary, Treasurer, Vice Regent and Regent, as well as chairman of many committees. She has served her State as Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Vice Regent and Regent, and as Chairman of Better Films Committee, of Americanism and



MRS. HARRY C. OBERHOLSER

Approved Schools, and Conservation. While she was chairman of Conservation Miss Matthies edited "Trees of Note in Connecticut" for the State Society.

In the National Society Miss Matthies has served as a Page for ten years, as Vice Chairman of Constitution Hall Memory Book Committee, Vice Chairman and Chairman of Tellers, Chairman of Approved Schools, Chairman of D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, and at present is Corresponding Secretary General and also a member of the Committees on Revision of National By-Laws, Personnel and Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower.

Miss Matthies has been a State Promoter of the Children of the American Revolution since 1934.

Aside from her work with the D. A. R., which she has carried on with keen interest and enthusiasm, Miss Matthies has devoted many hours to other civic and humane activities.

Mrs. Oberholser, too, is well known for her work for the Society.

Mrs. Oberholser's membership in the District of Columbia Daughters of the American Revolution extends over a period of thirty-five years. She has held Administrative offices and has been untiring in her efforts to further the interests of the Society. Three times she has been Chapter Regent and has served on many National and State Committees. She has been elected to fill the offices of State Corresponding Secretary, State Vice Regent and State Regent in the District of Columbia.



She has also held offices in the State Officers' Club of the District of Columbia and is a member of the National Officers' Club.

During the last summer of her term as State Regent she led a good will tour to Mexico, sponsored by the Mexican Government and the United States Government. This tour was unique because it was the first of its kind to that country participated in by a group of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

For the past three decades Mrs. Oberholser has had the advantage of attending meetings of the American Association of Museums with her husband, who has had museum affiliations for many years. In wide travel over the country she has had contacts with museums in Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Boston, New York, Chicago, San Francisco and Cleveland and has a vibrant interest in museum treasures.

Mrs. Oberholser is descended from a long line of Virginia Patriots, one of whom, Colonel George Eskridge, was the guardian of Mary Ball and for whom her son, George Washington, was named.

Among the new vice presidents general Mrs. George Christian Viethier comes to her new office with a splendid record as state regent of Maryland.

She was born in New York City, educated at Adelphi Academy, and came to live in Maryland at an early age. She joined the Baltimore Chapter of Maryland through her revolutionary ancestor Lieut. Asa Perry. Her two daughters, now Baltimore Chapter juniors, share her interest and enthusiasm for the work of the D. A. R.

Mrs. Viethier began her twenty-six years



MRS. GEORGE CHRISTIAN VIETHEER

of service to the Daughters of the American Revolution with seven consecutive years as a Page at Continental Congresses. Since then she has filled a succession of Chapter and State offices. While serving as State Recording Secretary, she compiled and edited three Maryland Year Books and enjoyed the privilege of acting as Official Reader at the 50th Continental Congress. Over the past three years she has been the Maryland State Regent, a period characterized by consistent harmony, growth and prosperity for the State Society. During this term she also was a member of the Printing and Auditing Committees of the National Society.

As State Regent, Mrs. Viethier advanced the Society's war activities as well as its regular program. The achievements of Maryland during the period were well evidenced by the frequent commendations by the National Committee Chairmen at the 55th Congress.

Mrs. Viethier's State work culminated in her recent election as Honorary State Regent at the 41st Maryland State Conference and her subsequent election as Vice President General.

Mrs. Thomas Howell Napier of Montevallo, Alabama, also has won her laurels through effective work as state regent.

She is the daughter of Hardin Logan and Margaret Harned Beeler and was born in Nelson County, Kentucky. She is a descendant of the Stiles and Ogdens of New Jersey who went to Kentucky in the early days of the state's history.

Mrs. Napier graduated from East Lynn College, Buffalo, Kentucky, and Western Kentucky State Teachers' College at Bowling Green. She later graduated with the B. S. and M. A. degrees from George Peabody College.



MRS. T. FREDERICK CHASE



MRS. JAMES BROOK VAUGHN



MRS. THOMAS HOWELL NAPIER

In 1916 Dr. and Mrs. Napier moved to Alabama where they have since been engaged in educational work. Dr. Napier is at present Dean of Alabama College, the State College for Women.

Mrs. Napier has served her chapter, David Lindsay Chapter, as treasurer, vice regent and regent. She has served state as chaplain, recording secretary, parliamentarian, vice regent and regent, and president of the Officers Club. She has served at three different times on the President General's Reception Committee.

With her increasing service in the Society, Mrs. Napier has carried other responsibilities in educational, religious, and civic organizations. She served the Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs as chairman of important committees, the Montevallo Branch of the American Association of University Women as President, her Church Conference Woman's Society as Chairman of Student Work. For many years she has taught a large class of college girls in Sunday School.

She is a member of the National Society of Colonial Dames of America; is a member of the National Officers' Club and an honorary member of Delta Kappa Gamma.

During Mrs. Napier's state regency the state membership has had a net gain of three hundred, three new chapters added, the Alabama Star at Valley Forge dedicated, the four census reports microfilmed and many gifts to Kate Duncan Smith School, of which she is a trustee.

Mrs. Arno A. Bald has an important Red Cross as well as D. A. R. record of service. She is a member of Platte Chapter, Columbus, and has held the offices of Historian, Vice

Regent and Regent. She has served the State in the same offices, as well as chairman of several committees. She is a member of the State Officers' and National Officers' clubs, and several patriotic and social organizations and is affiliated with the Baptist Church.

Since World War I, she served as Home Service chairman and is a member of the Platte County Executive Board of the Red Cross, serving as Vice Chairman and Chairman. In the recent war she was County Chairman of Volunteer Special Services. Her hobby is genealogy and she joined her husband in collecting Indian artifacts. During her three years as State Regent, D. A. R. Membership supplanted genealogy as her hobby.

Her parents, Horace E. and Mila Ann Peoples Newton, were residing in Greenwood, Nebraska, when she was born but shortly thereafter moved to Aurora, Nebraska. She attended grade school in Aurora, the University at Lincoln, Nebraska and then taught school for four years in Aurora and Lincoln. Her marriage to Arno A. Bald, M. D., was at Aurora in 1913 and since that time they have made their home in Platte Center. They have two children, Mrs. Mark (Mila Bald) Owens, and Arno, 2nd.

Mrs. Howard A. Latting, of Colorado, has served the society very effectively and has the advantage of a distinguished teaching career.

She has been an active member of the Society for twenty-one years, first joining the Nancy Ross Chapter in Illinois and then transferring to Kinnikinnick Chapter in Colorado Springs. She has served her chapter in numerous official capacities, including that of regent. As state chairman of Americanism she promoted added interest in the foreign-

born and their children, particularly in isolated areas. From 1941-1944 Mrs. Latting was state regent in Colorado. During these war years the state society contributed more than \$20,000 to the National Society's War Fund; a D. A. R. museum room was established in the State Historical Museum; membership increased; new Approved Schools scholarships were secured and committee activities stimulated. The new edition of the D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship has been published under her National Chairmanship of this committee.

Mrs. Latting's ancestry is distinguished, including Phelps, Stevens and Stratton lines. Her maternal great-grandmother was Agnes Wesley of the noted English church family.

Her career has been that of teaching. For eight years she was county superintendent of El Paso County Schools; for the past six years she has been a member of the faculty at Colorado College. Her graduate study was done at the Universities of Chicago, California and Colorado. Who's Who in Colorado lists her hobby as Child Welfare.

In volunteer war work she was secretary of the El Paso County War Board and is now a member of the state advisory committee on employment security.

Her husband is engaged in the Finance and Abstract Business in Colorado Springs, where their home is at 15 Oak Avenue, in the suburban Broadmoor area.

Mrs. William Stark Tompkins, honorary state regent of Pennsylvania, established the Pennsylvania Memorial Forest of 300,000 trees as one of the outstanding of her many achievements in D. A. R. activities.

She has a background of twenty years of



MRS. HOWARD A. LATTING

active service in the National Society. She served her chapter as Vice Regent, Regent and Parliamentarian. She has given time and ability on several State committees and when chairman of Conservation she established the Pennsylvania Memorial Forest of 300,000 trees.

During her administration as War Regent, Pennsylvania loyally carried on the committee work of the National Society, together with all war projects. The second Mobile Blood Plasma Procurement Ambulance was given to the Red Cross. \$12,000 was raised for Blood Plasma. The Service Wing at Kate Duncan School was completed and a class room in the new wing was dedicated.

As a patriotic project, Mrs. Tompkins became interested in the Bell Tower to house the bells at Valley Forge and a State committee was appointed to raise funds in Pennsylvania; the result—several thousand dollars.

For the past twelve years, Mrs. Tompkins has given much of her time to radio work, presenting patriotic programs in the interest of the National Society.

Mrs. Tompkins is a member of the Daughters of 1812; Daughters of the American Colonists and the French Huguenot Society of Pennsylvania. At the celebration of the Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of the Huguenot Society, the Huguenot Cross was conferred on Mrs. Tompkins for distinguished services during the war.

Mrs. Henry Wallace Townsend, honorary state regent of Missouri, has been an ardent worker in the Elizabeth Benton Chapter, oldest in Missouri, besides her outstanding work as a state official.

She is a native of Kansas but has spent



MRS. ARNO A. BALD



MRS. WILLIAM STARK TOMPKINS

most of her life in Missouri, where she has been an ardent worker of Elizabeth Benton Chapter, oldest in Missouri, for the past twenty-five years. She has five accepted Revolutionary Ancestors. Thoroughly familiar with D. A. R. work, having served as District Director and on two State Boards before becoming State Regent. Elected for a two-year term, however, through War emergency, served for three years. She enjoyed wonderful co-operation from the membership and was unanimously elected Honorary State Regent at the Conference last March. Missouri State Society name placed at Valley Forge in her honor. One new chapter organized and entire amount for microfilming census records paid during this regime. Mrs. Townsend is a member of U. S. D. 1812; Colonial Dames; Eastern Star; Congregational Church; Presidents and Past Presidents General Assembly of Greater Kansas City; and the Woman's City Club. She is prompt, fair and just to all, of a friendly nature, with ability to form life-long friendships.

Mrs. T. Frederick Chase is a leader in women's patriotic organizations in Rhode Island.

Since joining the Society in 1915 she became active in the work and has served Gaspee Chapter as Treasurer, Vice Regent and Regent and Rhode Island as Vice Regent and Regent, The National Society on the Printing Committee, as a Special Vice Chairman of Filing and Lending Bureau, and the Credentials Committee. She has also worked on Registration at many meetings of Congress.

Her interest in the Junior Daughters of the American Revolution in Rhode Island has been very keen and she has organized

a very active group. She declares the future of the work depends entirely in interesting the younger members and giving them work to do.

Some of her other affiliations are the Regent's Club of Rhode Island and Daughters of Founders and Patriots, of which she has just been elected President and The Colonial Daughters of the 17th Century.

She finds time to serve in the Central Baptist Church of Providence, Rhode Island, of which she is a member.

Mrs. James Brook Vaughn, of South Dakota, has been an active member of the Society for twenty-four years. She has served as regent, vice regent of her state and regent and vice regent of the Thirty-Nine Star Chapter. During the past twenty years she has served as state chairman of important committees. She was a member of the National Resolutions Committee for four years and worked hard as national vice chairman of the American Indian Committee. She has performed outstanding work for St. Mary's High School for Indian Girls, Springfield, North Dakota. While she was state regent Mrs. Vaughn organized two chapters, a Junior Group and revived three chapters of the Children of the American Revolution which were inactive.

Mrs. David E. French of Bluefield, West Virginia, has a record of twenty years of continuous service in the National Society.

She has served as Vice Regent, Regent and in other offices of her chapter; as State Librarian, State Chaplain, State Regent for three years, President of the State Officers' Club, Director of the National Officers' Club, 1940-1943, State Chairman of several National committees and member of the National



MRS. HENRY WALLACE TOWNSEND



MRS. DAVID E. FRENCH

Resolutions Committee, 1941-1944. She is Honorary State Regent of West Virginia and at present is National Chairman of the Filing and Lending Bureau Committee.

Mrs. French is a member of other patriotic societies in which she has held important office. She served three years on the West Virginia Library Commission by official appointment. She is Vice President of the West Virginia Historical Society and is an active member and former state officer of the National League of American Penwomen. Her verse, short and serial stories appeared for many years in well-known magazines, but her recent work is of historical character. Many of her stories were of mountain life in West Virginia, a favorite scene being the beautiful valley of New River, where her pioneer ancestors settled long ago and where her childhood years were spent.

Mrs. J. Harold Grimes has been a member of the Society for thirty-five years. She belonged first to the chapter at St. Charles, Missouri, then the Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter in Indianapolis. Then she became a charter member of the Wa-je-Ke-way Chapter at Danville, Indiana. She has served her chapter as recording secretary, vice regent and regent. She was first state chairman of the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Committee; center director, state vice regent and state regent. She has served on the national credentials committee and tellers' committee; as national vice chairman of the Correct Use of the Flag; the advancement of American Music Committee and is the national chairman of the Girl Homemakers' Committee.

During World War II, while Mrs. Grimes

was state regent of Indiana, she gave more than 2,000 hours of voluntary service to the Home Service Department of the American Red Cross and is a Grey Lady at Wakeman General Hospital.

Mrs. Grimes is a lifelong member and worker in the Methodist Church. She is a graduate of Lindenwood College in both the liberal arts and music departments. She is an active member of several federated study and musical groups.

Mrs. Frederick Brewster Ingram, honorary state regent of Texas, has been state chairman of Approved Schools and of the George Washington Monument Committee. She is State Promoter of the Children of the American Revolution.

She has served her chapter, the Jane Douglas Chapter of Dallas, as recording secretary, vice regent and regent.

She has served the National society as an official teller, national chairman and advisor of the Girl Home Makers' Committee; vice chairman of resolutions; member of the National Officers' Club; and the National Chairman's Association of the Auditing and of the Memorial Bell Tower of Valley Forge Committee. She is a trustee for the Kate Duncan Smith School. Her consecutive attendance at state conferences and at Continental Congresses for many years, her executive ability, her loyalty and her enthusiasm eminently fit her for duties as vice president general.

She is interested in young people, civic affairs, the Community Chest and the U.S.O.

Mrs. Leroy Fogg Hussey, honorary state regent of Maine, has rounded out a quarter



MRS. J. HAROLD GRIMES





MRS. FREDERICK BREWSTER INGRAM

of a century of membership and service in the national society.

She lives in Augusta, Maine. She has served her chapter, Koussinoc Chapter, as Treasurer, Vice-Regent and Regent. She has served the State Society as Finance Officer, Recording Secretary, Vice-Regent and Regent. She is serving the National Society as a member of the Resolutions Committee and served on the D. A. R. War Projects Committee.

In addition to her devoted service to the Society, Mrs. Hussey contributed greatly to Maine's War Work, serving in a volunteer executive capacity.

Mrs. Hussey is Vice-President of the Maine Society, Daughters of the Colonial Wars; a member of the Descendants of the Mayflower Society; Secretary of the Maine Cancer Society; Past President Augusta Hospital Aid; member of American Legion Auxiliary; Order of Eastern Star; Victoria Society of Maine Women; Kennebec Valley Garden Club; Trustee of Knox Memorial and a member of the Universalist Church.

Mrs. Hussey named and christened the Liberty Ship James Sullivan; organized Aroostock Chapter at Presque Isle; had a PX Unit purchased for the Veterans Hospital at Togus and the Maine Star Fund completed while State Regent.

Mrs. Hussey is honoring her husband, who served in World War I, and their son, Leroy Jr., who served in World War II, in Patton's Third Army, by having their names placed in the Memorial Tower at Valley Forge in the Father-Son section—both having Revolutionary ancestors.

Mrs. Inez Smith Warthen has long been a leader in the Georgia state affairs, and is also a successful business woman and an artist of note.

Very soon after her marriage Mrs. Warthen entered upon a career of public service that has been growing in scope with the passing years.

She served as organizing regent of the Vidalia Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, as acting regent and in other official capacities. She has served the Georgia Society as treasurer, vice regent, regent and as chairman of National Defense, Conservation and other important committees. As National Chairman of Conservation, 1939-



MRS. LEROY FOGG HUSSEY



MRS. INEZ SMITH WARTHEN



MRS. OTTO H. CRIST



MRS. NATHAN R. PATTERSON

1941, she was active in the planting of millions of pines in Memorial Forests. She is Special Advisor to the Conservation Committee and has served on the Motion Pictures, Radio and Resolutions Committees. During her term of office as state regent there was an unprecedented increase in membership in the state.

Mrs. Warthen was active in organizing the Vidalia Woman's Club, the Vidalia Garden Club and the City Health Department. She was General Chairman of the Vidalia Community House and Library Committees and personally supervised the building of a beautiful club house. She helped formulate the city's health ordinances and served on the Board.

During the War Mrs. Warthen was chairman of the Woman's Division of Civilian Defense in Toombs county and of the Woman's Division of First Congressional District War Bond Committee.

Her service to the Federation has kept her on the State Executive Board for twenty years, two years of which she served as District President.

Besides her work locally she has served the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbytery of Savannah as president and in other capacities, the Woman's Auxiliary of the Synod of Georgia as president and as secretary of the Woman's Advisory Committee of the Presbyterian Church, U. S.

Mrs. Otto H. Crist, honorary state regent of Illinois, has always been active in the civic affairs of her community.

She is a native of Illinois. She was born in Champaign County, Edna Davis Starkey, daughter of Eli Wesley and Fannie Davis

Starkey. She attended MacMurray College at Jacksonville, Illinois, four years, graduating in 1905. In 1913 she was married to the late Dr. Otto H. Crist in Danville, Illinois, where she has since resided. To them were born two children, Jack Wesley and Joan Lenore (Mrs. Charles M. Gervig).

Mrs. Crist has been a member of the Methodist church her entire life. She has been active in the civic life of her community, having served seven years as president of a PTA unit, filled many positions, including president, on the Board of Directors of the Y. W. C. A., was the only woman to be appointed a member of the Vermilion County Relief Commission and was for several years a member of the Community Chest Board.

Mrs. Crist became a member of Governor Bradford Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, in 1922 and has served her chapter, state, and the National Society in many capacities. She is an Honorary State Regent of Illinois, having served as State Regent for the term 1941-43.

Mrs. Nathan Russell Patterson is a native of Massachusetts, a descendant of Edward Rawson, Colonial Secretary for the first thirty-five years of the Massachusetts Bay Colony. She is a graduate of Smith College. In 1915 she moved to Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she has witnessed the evolution of an oil boom town to a modern attractive city. Two sons, one a graduate of Dartmouth and the other of Oklahoma University Engineering School, served their country during World War II. Edward a Captain with the 14th Air Force in China and Sidney with the U. S. Engineers.



Mrs. Patterson joined the Society in 1921 through the Tulsa Chapter. She has served her chapter for 22 consecutive years, either as a committee chairman or officer, including Regent. She has served State D. A. R. on various committees, also as Treasurer, Regent and President of the State Officers' Club. While State Regent she dedicated the D. A. R. Museum in the Oklahoma Historical Society Building; the D. A. R. Early American Room in Philbrook Art Museum, Tulsa, and the first Oklahoma Mobile Blood Plasma Unit presented by Oklahoma D. A. R. to the St. Louis, Missouri, Red Cross.

Mrs. Patterson organized the Washita and

Guthrie D. A. R. Chapters and commenced organization of the chapters at Hugo and Vinita. She filled the appointment of National Vice-chairman of Historical Research, is completing her second year as National Chairman of Conservation, is the Oklahoma Regent of Daughters of the American Colonists, is a member of the Daughters of 1812 and has recently completed the organization of a D. A. C. chapter in Oklahoma City.

She has served the C. A. R. as State Organizing Secretary and is now State Promoter. She is active in local civic clubs, the Presbyterian Church and A. A. U. W.



## Approved Schools

**A** NEW year lies before us—a year of **GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY**—a year when every Chapter can do its part to place the name of its State on a permanent Honor Roll, where visitors to the new Auditorium-Gymnasium will see, on the walls, the special recognition given to each State that has reached the goal of a gift from every Chapter, plus the names of the Chapters that have contributed to the Tamasee Anniversary Fund.

Where does the name of your State appear on this list?

Is yours one of the twelve States that have already gone "over the top" with a gift from every Chapter? Is the name of your State emblazoned—even now—on the Roll of Honor? If so, **CONGRATULATIONS!!**

Is your State one of those needing contributions from only three Chapters to reach this goal? Is yours one of the Chapters depriving your State of this honor?

Did your State, rightfully, take "time out" to complete a project undertaken before this building was planned and are you, now, making every effort to add your name to those already on the Honor Roll?

Was your Chapter one of those whose generous contributions made it possible to reach our original goal of \$40,000 in less than two years, or will your Chapter be one that helps us meet the increased cost of material and labor by sending your gift at this time?

"Opportunity Knocks But Once," is re-

placed by the Daughters of the American Revolution with the words, "Opportunity Knocks Three Times."

Some States answered the **FIRST** knock and were on the Honor Roll before the first year of this Administration was over.

For other States—completing an earlier project—a **SECOND** knock last year was sufficient.

Now comes the **FINAL** knock! Realizing the wonderful record in the past of the Daughters in their work for the underprivileged Youth of our Land, your National Chairman taps but lightly. . . . Oh, so lightly! No pressure is needed in a group where all hearts are attuned to the call of our boys and girls in the mountains. Past accomplishment speaks for itself and is the pattern for the future.

Another winter, with its rain and sleet, will soon blanket the mountains of South Carolina . . . another winter with no Gymnasium at Tamasee, in which our boys and girls can exercise and play, sheltered from the icy blasts . . . another winter with no Auditorium large enough to seat the student body and faculty, plus the relatives and friends who have trudged weary miles over the mountain trails to attend a program at Tamasee. It is raining, yet father or mother must stand outside—in the cold—and peer, hungrily, through a window. Surely, this is the last winter for such a condition to exist—a condition that can be banished if we but put our shoulders to the wheel and match the in-

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# Heraldry from an Artist's Viewpoint

BY MARGARET J. MARSHALL

**T**HE Wings of the Army Air Corps, the Flying Tigers of Chenault's illustrious heroes, the Dolphins of the boys who go down into the Seven Seas in subs and the other hundreds of insignia of the many branches of all the armed forces and of civilian defense in World War II, all testify to the re-birth of the ancient science of heraldry. Emblematic devices have been used since the dawn of history to distinguish family from family, tribe from tribe, nation from nation; but never in the history of this old world have so many millions of men and women worn their badges of Service on their arms.

Among the very earliest of symbols is the hand of India. Brahma, their Divine Legislator, wrote their original law and the hand was supposed to be his hand. We are most familiar with it as that oyster-shaped design in Indian shawls. The almost mythical nation of the Atlantes, whose country was where the Atlantic Ocean now rolls, used as a symbol of the figure of their ancestor, Atlas, he who composed the signs of the Zodiac and measured the altitude of the sun and stars. These Atlantes were a remarkable people; they figured out the calendar of 365 days, were navigators, etc. and when their land was inundated by the waters which separated the globe into two continents, which, by the way, they had foreseen, they fled for refuge to a mountain of Africa, which still bears their name, Mt. Atlas. Some went down into Egypt, where they introduced their sciences and maps (atlases) others went to the Atlantic (Canary or Fortunate) Isles and relics of their civilization have been unearthed as far away as Peru. Mexico used the Atlantic almanac and the Egyptians their form of architecture, statue pillars still being known as Atlantes.

Other ancient symbols were the dragon of China, the moon of the Ethiopians and the sun of the Chaldeans. One of the most interesting is the turtle dove of Nineveh. Semiramis (we know her name from the Semiramide overture) was the widow of Ninus and founded the first great empire of the world. Her loving subjects symbolized her gentleness by the turtle dove.

The city of Nineveh, being rebuilt during the ages, later became known as Mosul and one of the products which it excelled in making and exporting was a soft cotton material known as mosulin, or muslin. It was "trademarked" with the turtle dove of Semiramis and still is to this day.

The Romans used the Phrygian cap as the symbol of independence (we still use it on our dimes crowning the goddess of Liberty although she has added Mercury's wings) and later the wolf, sign of Romulus and Remus, the founders of their City. The Grecians used the emblem of Pegasus and the solar eye of Jupiter (is that the ancestor of the Masonic eye, I wonder?) the Medes and the Persians the centaur, and the twelve tribes of Israel each had its own symbol.

When Julius Caesar invaded Britain in 55 B. C., the petty Kings and druid Priests had each their own standards. Caesar sent those of the Seven Kings to the Roman Senate, and a famous tapestry, known as the Bergamo tapestry, depicts the celebration at Rome of the Conquest. These primitive badges were mostly figures of animals or birds native to the various localities, such as the ram, hind, stag, boar, wolf, grouse, raven, etc., and were made of twigs covered with leather, which was then painted.

In those early days heraldic insignia were used chiefly because they quickly identified the wearers, and all the members of the family, as well as all the retainers, wore the same distinguishing colors and emblems. The shield and helmet were, of course, used in battle as well as in the tournament and when the helmet was closed, the markings and colors of the shield and coat, and design of the helmet, were the only means of identification. Noble families used these same markings on all their property and they continue to do so, at least those who have paid the required fee to his Majesty's government for so doing.

Also, in those early days there were no surnames. In Bible times, there was no such thing as a family name; it was Jesus of Nazareth; James and John, sons of

Zebedee; Joseph of Aramethea, etc. Surnames were not in use in King Arthur's time, which was in the 5th or 6th Century, nor by Alfred the Great's day around 900; but came into use in England about the eleventh and twelfth centuries. Perhaps you have an extra long family tree and thought it a pity that for those early names you had only the Christian ones.

During the first crusade, in 1096, the practice of wearing insignia was borrowed from the Orientals and the mottoes or sayings became surnames from that time. Previously, the Oriental bearings had been used only by Kings and other titled personages; but after the first crusade they were used by the Clergy and gentry, as well as by the Nobility, and were called "family arms." By the time of the second crusade, 1142, the armorial bearings in England had increased so greatly that it became necessary to adopt some principles of arrangement. From then on, the art of heraldry or blazonry grew increasingly important and in 1484 a special office was created by Richard III. By the 16th century it had developed into the College of Arms. Three Kings of Arms, six Heralds and four pursuivants had supreme authority and they still have the final word in any dispute over the right to display arms. In Scotland, there is a slightly different set-up; but the powers are practically the same.

We are concerned mostly with English heraldry, because of our national heritage; but other countries had their own forms of heraldry. England's armorial bearings have been a blend of her various conquerors, who came and stayed and were always absorbed into her national life. The Celts and Scots, the Danes, the Romans, the Anglo-Saxons and the Normans all contributed to the wealth of England's lore; but William the Conqueror, in 1066, brought more than any other and when he had the Domesday Book compiled for tax and census purposes, there must have been surnames to have made that possible. Perhaps we have him to thank for many of those interesting and descriptive names, such as Baker, Carpenter, Shoemaker, Smith, Little, Long, White, Gray, Black, Johnson, and so on; although Edward IV in 1465 passed a law compelling certain of his subjects to adopt family names.

England's earliest records were kept by the Druids in the ancient Celtic; but these were rewritten by historians of the Roman period in Latin about the time of the birth of Christ. Later, the monks, having all the historic documents in their possession, rewrote the histories according to their ideas but about 1500, King Henry VII decided that an impartial history must be written and Virgil published one, also in Latin but it retained the same Church dogma. Henry VIII, after the Reformation, went one better and commissioned his Chaplain to write an unprejudiced history but it was not until 1700 that a really impartial one was written, and that by a Frenchman. We still retain the Latin tongue in our legal phraseology and the mottoes on coats-of-arms are often in that language, although the descriptions are mostly in French, which was brought over from Normandy with William the Conqueror. England gradually dropped Latin from her speech but mixed with it many other tongues. Heraldry has a language all its own, most of the peculiar words being derived from the original Norman French but the English in their own inimitable way just disregard the French pronunciations and pronounce them as they please.

The subject of armorial bearings covers a wide field. Coats-of-arms originally were just that—cloaks of distinguishing colors; then the protective shield and helmet with its crest, wreath, mantling, supporters, badges, pennants, etc. were all included in the blazon or description. Shields were of different sizes and shapes but the flatiron shape is now the generally accepted one. Crests resting on a torse or wreath, a pad made of twisted strands of the two major colors and bearing birds or animals or other figures, surmount the helmet. The mantling (lambrequin) more or less intricate, flows from beneath the helmet and was probably used as a protection from the hot sun. When used in Royal Arms, the shield is supported by figures, such as lions or unicorns, or other fabulous beasts. Various combinations can be added to the shield to incorporate inheritances, marriage alliances, etc., also mottoes may be chosen at will but the crest is always hereditary and does not change. The crest alone is often used on note-paper, silverware, etc. Most important of all are

seals, which were so very necessary in those days, when few could sign their names.

A rough sketch of a coat-of-arms is called a trick and the whole set-up is an achievement. The description is called a blazon and always begins with the color or tincture of the surface of the shield or field. There is a sort of shorthand method of indicating these tinctures which is universal and quite easy to follow. Or (gold) is represented by dots; argent (silver) as white; gules (red) with vertical lines; azure (blue) by horizontal lines; sable (black) as cross-hatch; vert (green) lines slanting from left to right; purpure (purple) lines in the opposite direction; ermine (black and white) little ermine tails; and vair (blue and white) with bell-shaped figures of horizontal lines.

The field is divided into three parts: the upper third is the chief, the centre section is known as the fess and the lower part is the base. The left side of the shield is the dexter and the right the sinister, being descriptive of the wearer's left and right sides. By the way, the term "bar sinister" does not mean illegitimacy; in fact, there is no such thing, as a *bar* always goes horizontally and if on a slant, it is called "a *bend*." Boundary lines are engrailed, wavy, indented, nebuly, battled or ragged. One of the few definite rules is that metal must not be put on metal, or color on color. They are played one against the other, for quick discernment.

After giving the tincture of the field, the next step is to give the principal figure or charge. This may be simple or intricate but the oldest coats-of-arms are the simplest. The color of the charge comes after the naming, as "three roses gules", etc. A shield is often divided into parts having different tinctures. When it is divided in two parts vertically, it is known as *partie*. Per pale also means up and down. If the shield is divided by two lines into four spaces, it is known as *quarterly* and the color of the dexter chief or upper left is mentioned first. When it is again divided into eight or more spaces, the result is *gyronny*. A wide band across the centre is the *fess*, a narrower band a *bar* and there are always two or more bars; *barrulets* are even narrower and *gemels* are still narrower. Sometimes the field is in *partie* and the bars counterchanged, which gives an infinite variety to the color arrange-

ments. Sometimes the upper part (chief) is indented, or the *fess* (band across the middle) indented or diamond-shaped or zigzag.

Vertical lines also add an infinite variety of arrangement and the combination of vertical and horizontal lines making squares is known as *checky*. If the whole field is divided by horizontal lines, it is called *barry*; if by vertical, *paly*. If lines form a band from corner to opposite corner it is called on a *bend* and these lines can be straight, or wavy, or of any other form. They are frequently bordered by bands which are called *bandelets* or *cotises*. Various combinations of lines form crosses, chevrons, etc., and sometimes *bordures* and *orles* are used.

When figures are used, they also are called charges and all sorts of objects are popular. Often a play of words is employed, as the spear in Shakespeare's coat-of-arms. Plates or roundels, lozenges, many forms of crosses, escallops, stars, crescents, *fleurs-de-lys*, flowers and many animals and birds and fishes and legendary beasts are used. The lion is a prime favorite, especially for Royalty and the many positions give even greater variety. We have lions rampant, dormant, passant, that is walking and looking straight ahead, passant quadrant, looking toward the spectator and various other positions; but these are the better known and used for all animals. Sometimes just the head is used.

The eldest son often added a border or a label during his father's lifetime. Daughters used their father's arms and on marriage generally took their husband's arms along with his name. Occasionally their own arms, if important, were combined with his. This is known as *marshalling* by *impaling*, which means putting them side by side, or *quartering*, which puts them in different quarters of the field. The quarters are numbered from dexter to sinister, horizontally, because sometimes the arrangement becomes quite intricate.

Many books have been written upon the subject but there is a particularly nice and simple one called, "Introduction to Heraldry" by E. E. Reynolds, published by Methuen, London, which I have found most interesting and understandable.

# State Conferences

## ALABAMA

THE forty-eighth Annual State Conference of the Alabama Daughters of the American Revolution was held February 25 and 26, 1946, at the Jefferson Davis Hotel, Montgomery, with the three Montgomery chapters, Peter Forney, Francis Marion and Anne Phillips as hostesses.

Preceding the formal opening of the Conference, the Alabama Officers' Club held a business meeting followed by a banquet. Also the memorial service, for Daughters who had entered into rest during the year, was presented with beauty and solemnity by Mrs. R. B. Broyles, State Chaplain.

The formal opening of the Conference found Mrs. T. H. Napier in the chair, presiding with dignity and grace, as she did at all meetings. The bugle call heralded the colorful processional march and Mrs. Napier declared the forty-eighth annual conference to be in session. After the invocation by the State Chaplain, the pledge to the flag and American's creed, the assemblage sang the national anthem. Mrs. E. R. Barnes, Honorary State Regent and past Vice-President General graciously welcomed the delegates in behalf of the local chapters, presenting the regents of these chapters to the audience. Mrs. Grady Jacobs, State Vice-Regent, responded. Greetings from other patriotic groups followed and then Mrs. J. C. Bonner, State Chairman Good Citizenship Pilgrimage, announced the winner of the coveted honor of being Alabama's Good Citizenship Girl, presenting Evelyn Hill, who then received from Mrs. Talmadge the \$100 bond, now being given in lieu of the trip to Washington of former days.

Alabama was honored by the presence of many distinguished guests; Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, President General; Mrs. John Logan Marshall, first Vice-President General; Mrs. Edwin S. Lammers, Vice-President General; Mrs. Willard Steele, Chaplain General; Mrs. Vancourt Carwithen, National Chairman Approved Schools; Mrs. Walter Scott Welsh, State Regent of Mississippi, and Mrs. Harry Fulton, Historian for the District of Columbia.

Mrs. Napier presented these distin-

guished guests to the assembly, also the official board that had served during her administration.

To Mrs. Val Taylor, past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent, was given the privilege of introducing Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, the first Southern woman to hold the highest office in the gift of our Society, that of President General. It was a very great pleasure for Alabama Daughters to hear her inspiring address.

Following the retiring of the colors an informal reception, courtesy of the hostess chapters, was held in the ballroom amid stately palms, cathedral baskets of snapdragons and lilies and the radiance from many burning candles.

Promptly at eight o'clock on the second day, Mrs. Napier called the Conference to order. This meeting featured reports of State officers and chairmen. In her comprehensive report, our State Regent stressed the accomplishments of her administration in increase of membership, vital help in war projects and the Kate Duncan Smith D. A. R. School.

After an adjournment for lunch, business featuring the election of new officers and the presentation of proposed changes in the by-laws was taken up. Mrs. Grady Jacobs of Scottsboro, Ala., was elected State Regent and Miss Helen Gaines of Birmingham, State Vice-Regent.

The Hall of Flags, in the beautiful marble building that houses the Alabama State Department of Archives and History, was the setting for the lovely tea given by the hostess chapters honoring Mrs. Napier and other distinguished guests. The ten historic Alabama flags, made an impressive background for the tea table, where punch was served from the silver service of the battleship "Alabama".

On Tuesday evening, the final meeting of the Conference opened with the processional of Regents, this being their night. A general feeling of pride was felt, as the reports showed deep interest being taken by all chapters in the current problems of our state and nation.

The meeting closed with the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds", the benediction and the retiring of the colors.

MRS. EUGENE B. HENRY,  
*State Historian, Ala., Society, D.A.R.*



## RHODE ISLAND

THE fifty-second Rhode Island State Conference, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held at the Narragansett Hotel, Providence, R. I., March 8, 1946.

The procession, led by the Color Bearers and Pages, State Regent, National and State Officers, was followed by the Call to Order by the State Regent, Mrs. Howard B. Gorham.

Devotional services, led by the State Chaplain, Mrs. Warren A. Sherman, were followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, American's Creed and the singing of the National Anthem.

Greetings were brought by the State Vice Regent, Mrs. Louis Oliver, and by the Mayor of Providence, Hon. Dennis J. Roberts.

Mrs. Gorham presented Mrs. John T. Gardner, Vice President General, who brought greetings from the National Society saying this would be her last appearance as our Vice President General as her office expires at the next meeting of Continental Congress. Mrs. Gardner thanked the Rhode Island daughters for their generous support.

Later in the day the Conference endorsed Mrs. Gardner for the office of Corresponding Secretary General in the Cabinet of Mrs. John Logan Marshall to be elected in 1947.

Greetings were also brought by our ex-Vice President General, Mrs. Albert L. Calder 2nd, who urged the Chapters to be generous in their support of the Valley Forge projects.

The ex-State Regents, Mrs. William L. Manchester, Mrs. Philip Caswell and Mrs. T. Frederick Chase, each in her own gracious manner, brought messages of interest and inspiration.

Miss Emily S. Place, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Alpheus S. Place, rendered several delightful soprano solos.

Mrs. Walter J. Brown, State President, Rhode Island Society Children of the American Revolution, brought greetings from that society.

An address by Mr. John K. Whittemore, New Headmaster at Hillside School, was

given on "The History of Hillside School—Past and Present."

Reports of the State Officers and State Chairmen of National Committees were read and approved. State Regents' reports were filed with the Recording Secretary.

A Memorial Service, under the direction of the State Chaplain and the State Registrar, was conducted at twelve o'clock noon, followed by a recess for luncheon and a reception to the State Regent, State Officers and guests.

At the afternoon meeting it was voted to give \$250 for a floor space for Rhode Island at Valley Forge. The Historian reported seven Chapters as already giving \$25 for the Chapter Roll and several \$10 gifts for the Honor Roll at Valley Forge; \$50 was voted to be given to the General Nathaniel Greene Homestead Association, Inc., of Rhode Island.

An interesting feature of the afternoon was the selecting of the Rhode Island Good Citizenship Pilgrim for 1946 and the award to her of a \$100 War Bond. The name of Miss Shirley Goff, a senior at the East Providence High School, was drawn from the 23 high school candidates.

Three awards were given to 4-H Club girls who submitted cotton dresses which they had made. This award was under the auspices of the Girls Homemakers Committee.

Twelve old deeds, dating from 1774 to 1791, and the Will of Samuel Newman, Rehoboth, dated July 7, 1747, were presented to the Society by the Regent of the Col. Christopher Greene Chapter.

After the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" and the retirement of the Colors the fifty-second Rhode Island State Conference closed.

ELIZABETH CONGDON

(Mrs. Albert E. Congdon),  
*State Historian.*

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Death of an Ex-National Officer

Died June 22, 1946

MRS. FREDERICK PALMER LATIMER (Susan G. C.)  
New London, Conn.

"Anna Warner Bailey" Chapter Conn.  
Corresponding Secretary General 1944-45

V. P. G. 1930-42

S. R. of Conn. 1936-1939

S. V. R. of Conn. 1932-1936

# Committee Reports

## Junior Membership

### GREETINGS, JUNIOR DAUGHTERS:

**T**HERE are many things of importance concerning the Junior Assembly in Atlantic City. One of these is bound to be the Junior Bazaar. Those who attended were amazed at the number of interesting articles that came from Junior Groups all over the country. Mrs. Olmstead and her committee found they had too much to put all out on display at one time. They kept bringing them out of boxes, so that people came back a number of times to find entirely new stock from which to choose. There were dolls, cuddly ones, cute, pretty ones, and animals enough to fill a zoo; lovely aprons, baby shoes, sacks, sweaters, shell jewelry, scarves, and, oh, so many pretties of all kinds. It showed how diligently the Juniors had worked for months in preparation. A goodly amount of money was realized from the sales, which will aid the Assembly work for the year.

I feel sure that much more than monetary value should be attached to the bazaar. If all groups gained in closer bonds of friendship as did our Juniors in St. Petersburg, the effort was worth a great deal. As we met each Monday night at the homes of members to make our shell jewelry, friendships grew, ideas blossomed forth. Some found an artistic talent they had never known existed. Try making things in *your* group. Find a hobby and ride it together.

From (Mrs. Earl) Jeanne Clardy of Roswell, New Mexico, a letter tells of evening meetings following a Dutch treat dinner. At the meetings they sometimes have programmes and other times they sew, often making quilts and other articles for the crippled children whom they have "adopted." Since these children come from needy homes all clothing and other needs are appreciated. Besides these, holidays are remembered with candy and fruits. The Roswell group donates to the Easter Seal, Helen Pouch Scholarship Fund, subscribes to our Magazine. When there are only seven active members this is quite a record, and should inspire larger groups. You should have seen the lovely aprons they sent to the Assembly Bazaar. The very enthusiasm of such a group will cause many young women in the vicinity to look

in the old family Bible and other records to learn if they are eligible to join. That is what we want, isn't it?

On my radio broadcast in May on WJZ, New York, I said that DARs believed every child in America should have opportunity for education. It really reaches much further than that. Our aid to children in America is reaching further and further. It will also go to the many war orphans all over the world in many ways. Here is an excerpt from a letter from Dorothy (Mrs. John R.) Tingley, Chairman of the Juniors in Portland, Oregon.

"Willamette Chapter Junior Group, D.A.R. has decided this year to concentrate upon building the membership and increasing the monthly attendance through a series of interesting programs. Toward this end, the group has had such guest speakers as Mrs. John Y. Richardson, speaking on Reconversion Legislation, Mrs. Louis Perrin, speaking on her life in the Philippine Islands, and Mrs. Todd, speaking on the Good Will Industries.

The Christmas meeting, however, was a purely social dinner and bridge evening to which the members brought their husbands. One of the projects of the chapter is collecting Christmas toys for the Doernbecher Hospital for Children, and these toys were collected at the Christmas party and later delivered to the hospital.

Since many of the members have young children, it was felt that projects concerning children would be most interesting. In addition to the Christmas toys for Doernbecher, the group is also making an afghan for a needy child, and it has been decided to adopt a French orphan for a period of six months and send to this child two packages of food and clothing each month. This project is meeting with great enthusiasm and two packages of clothing and food have already been sent to the child."

There will be more next month concerning the Assembly and notes of interest from various parts of the country. You send the news to me and I'll get it in to Washington.

Cherily,

VORA MAUD SMITH,  
*Chairman of Articles.*



## Motion Picture Committee

AS the time approaches for our chapters to start their meetings for the fall and winter, may I ask each regent to appoint an enthusiastic chairman for this important committee. In order to accomplish good work, a chairman must be truly interested in her committee—she must believe in the goods she is selling and she must have faith in her product so be sure to appoint a person who will cooperate with our work.

It is to be hoped that each chapter will give our D. A. R. motion picture Guides to schools and libraries in their towns this year for posting on their bulletin boards for you will find them very grateful for this service. These are the only D. A. R. Guides issued and cost only fifty cents a year. Our members will find these lists very helpful in selecting their motion picture entertainment for titles are so often misleading that some of our best films are missed because the content of the picture does not happen to be known in advance. These lists are especially helpful to parents who like to select the pictures their children are to see. Every state chairman and every chapter chairman will need these lists to help her with her work. Remember, these lists are reviewed and edited by only D. A. R. women who are on our National Preview Committee. The Editorial Board is composed of women who have

had many years' experience in this line of work and they spend many hours preparing a correct analysis of the "shorts" as well as feature pictures, so you may depend upon the D. A. R. evaluations. Send your orders direct to your National Chairman.

Have one meeting during the year on motion pictures, asking your state chairman to be your speaker. Urge theatre managers to have a children's program at least once a month, preferably on a Saturday. Help your local groups to realize that through interest and support of better films the objectionable ones will be eradicated. Have a list of the recommended pictures read at your meetings trying to ascertain beforehand which ones are coming to your town before your next meeting. Urge patronage of really authentic historical films. This is the hardest type of picture for the exhibitor to sell; help and encourage him—greater production of historical films will result.

I will be glad to help you in any way that I can for I do feel this work is very important and our organization has great influence on the industry, for we are considered, as you well know, a powerful and intelligent society.

MARION LEE MONTGOMERY  
(Mrs. LeRoy Montgomery),  
*National Chairman.*

## National Defense

WITHIN a month from the time this issue reaches you the Nation will be celebrating the 159th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States when thirty-nine members of the Convention of 1787 at Philadelphia affixed their signatures to that important document. Every Chapter should participate in some type of meeting or service commemorating this event whether within a Chapter or joining with the schools or community. Citizenship under the Constitution is a heritage we cherish and honor. This Committee can assist you with material as featured in our price list p. 15 Mar. '46 News. What better celebration to begin the activities of a Chapter Year than one honoring the Constitution of the United States!

Chapter Chairmen of National Defense,

we trust you have arranged for your Committee's activity for the coming year. Will it include at least one Chapter meeting devoted to the topic of National Defense? A Radio program? Observance of patriotic days? Cooperation with community youth projects? Distribution of patriotic literature, including the National Defense News, to schools and libraries? Featuring of the Good Citizenship Medal Project in your Junior and Senior High Schools and presentation of the Good Citizenship Medal to the accredited girl or boy? Discussion of legislation? In general the development of a National Defense consciousness?

FLORENCE H. BECKER  
(Mrs. William A. Becker),  
*National Chairman.*

## Junior American Citizens Committee

IN Atlantic City we had a delightful and stimulating Junior American Citizens breakfast which began with Grace by our Chaplain General, Mrs. Steele, and followed by the National Chairman reading "A Song of Thanksgiving" written by a sixth grade pupil in San Antonio, Texas.

As there are no J. A. C. clubs in Atlantic City and as it was too near the end of school to bring them in from other cities, we featured our own National Vice Chairmen and State Chairmen who have made this year such an outstanding one.

We had the inspiration of many interested D. A. R. and were most fortunate in having Mrs. Russell William Magna and Mrs. William H. Pouch, two honorary Presidents General (the remainder were tied up in Resolutions committee), our Chaplain General, Mrs. Willard Steele, and our hostess State Regent Mrs. Edward Randolph of New Jersey, three Vice Presidents General, Mrs. LaFayette Porter, Mrs. Osmond Heavenrich and Mrs. Alexander Berger. Two former National Chairmen of J. A. C. gave us fine short talks, Mrs. I. B. McFarland of Texas and Mrs. R. E. Wisner of Michigan.

We began our committee talks with Mrs. L. T. Day, our Special Vice Chairman, who had charge of our booth in Convention Hall and who was responsible for a wonderful photographic exhibit containing over a hundred pictures of clubs in action. Mrs. Osmond Heavenrich, another Special Vice Chairman, spoke on work in her division. Mrs. Rupert Kuenzel, National Vice Chairman of the Northern Division, and Miss Dorothy Martin, National Vice Chairman of the Eastern Division, were presented and spoke.

It was a real pleasure to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Tyson, the new Superintendent of Kate Duncan Smith School, and have Mr. Tyson give us a brief talk.

Then we had a two-minute talk from each of the State Chairmen present, who told of the most interesting or outstanding item that happened in her State this year, beginning with Mrs. Robert Comer, Alabama, Mrs. Orville Donaldson, California, Mrs. Clark Taylor, D. C., Mrs. Charles Roberts, New Jersey, Miss Juliette

Willard, New York, Mrs. G. A. Longstreet, Ohio, Mrs. Wm. Campbell, Pennsylvania, and Mrs. L. T. Day of Virginia.

Mrs. Charles Roberts of New Jersey was responsible for our delightful breakfast, making all the arrangements and bringing the lovely decorations and place cards, all carrying out the J. A. C. theme. It was all most artistically done and arranged around our J. A. C. Banner and Pennant.

A few excerpts were read from some of the essays that were sent in that were amusing yet held much wisdom; here are some of them, "A Junior Citizen should not hang around with people that are rude and uncouth, he should always be a leader." "A Junior American should be co-operative, for if no one co-operated in our Country it would be in a mess now." "There are many kinds of people—rich and poor, kind and cruel, and many criminals. This club is trying to prevent a child's starting out in a life of crime and other bad ways of living. It also teaches us to look up to our elders and correct their mistakes when we step into their shoes."

After thanking Mrs. Thatcher of Colorado for her interest and generosity to our committee in her State, telegrams were read from Mrs. Asa Foster Harshbarger of California, our National Advisor and former National Chairman of J. A. C., and Miss Jane Robertson, National Vice Chairman of the Western Division.

The Study Guide book, compiled by the DeWalt Mechlin Chapter and published by them and the State of Illinois, was shown and contents described. Anyone wishing to order them can write Mrs. Franklin Watkins, 611 Perth, Flossmore, Ill. It would be a wonderful help if every school with a J. A. C. club could have one of these books in their library. During the coming year will not each of you help your Chairmen, both Chapter and State, in suggesting where new clubs can be organized and help us make the future secure by training the children according to the standards of the past?

MAYMIE DARNELL LAMMERS  
(Mrs. Edwin Stanton Lammers),  
National Chairman.

## Conservation

THE Conservation Committee held the customary Breakfast on Tuesday morning of Continental Congress week at Atlantic City, in the Rose Room of the Marlboro Blenheim Hotel. Mr. James K. Vessey, Assistant Regional Forester of the Eastern Region of U. S. Forest Service, brought a timely message in his address on Forest Conservation. He stated that, although wood is our number one critical material, there are (in the U. S. A.) seventy-seven million acres of burned over forest lands that are consequently of no value today. Meanwhile six and a half million families are living doubled up for lack of sufficient housing, due largely to scarcity of wood and wood products.

Reforestation will, in time, relieve these scarcities. The states must help in reforesting waste lands in their own borders. Ninety per cent of today's timber is produced on private forest lands. The owners must have help in planning, planting and managing and this help is available in the Federal Forest Service. Every state maintains a nursery for low cost reforestation. But the states need to provide better forest fire protection and controls to halt destructive cutting practices.

If barren lands could be converted to public ownership, they could be reforested and thereby create two and a half million new jobs.

Education is the greatest need for better forestry and DAR can help considerably in all phases of this great task.

Also present from the Eastern Regional Forest Service Office, as a guest, was Mrs. Helen Worth Gordon, who introduced the speaker and who delighted us with her lovely baby spruce tree souvenirs and pamphlets on forestry.

Mrs. R. Winston Holt, National Vice Chairman of the Eastern Division, who represented N. S. D. A. R. Conservation Committee in April at the National Conference on gardening, called by Pres. Truman and the Famine Emergency Committee, reported briefly on its discussions. All who can do so are urged to grow and can, dry, freeze and preserve as much food as possible, to release a large amount of commercially canned food for the starving millions overseas.

Mrs. J. R. McGiffert, National Vice Chairman of the Central Division, brought her lovely crystal green and silver trees from Duluth to decorate the speakers' table. She also provided original conservation place cards for that table. Other National Vice Chairmen present were Mrs. Robert Keene Arnold and Mrs. Henry H. Schaefer of the Southeastern and Western Divisions. State chairmen present were Mrs. Clem, Indiana; Mrs. Arnest, Oregon; Mrs. Stoddard, Missouri; Mrs. Shackelford, Louisiana; Mrs. Nicholson, Georgia; Mrs. Savage, Massachusetts; Mrs. Miller, Ohio; Mrs. Going, Michigan and Mrs. Starr, Oklahoma.

New Projects planned for conservation work for this, our third year, are: more programs on Safety, to study causes and cures of accidents in homes, industry, public places and especially on the Highways; special study of Action Program suggested by President Truman's Highway Safety Conference; enlist services of highway patrol officer for chapter program; cooperate in all local safety drives.

Study the findings of the Famine Emergency Committee, through the use of the U. S. Department of Agriculture films on Famine and Freedom. Consult the Nutrition Division of the American Red Cross before donating to overseas relief. The U. S. Government is sending all that can be spared to the hungry nations. Questions have been asked about the possible adoption of suffering children or families. Investigate any agency thoroughly before assigning relief funds and remember that there are always needy children in our own land, who are easily reached through the D. A. R. Schools.

The Save the Children Federation at No. 1 Madison Avenue, New York 10, New York, aids the children both overseas and in the U. S. and is a reliable agency. There are 2,000 white children orphaned by Jap atrocities in the Philippines, who need aid and care.

Conservation's newest project, created by a resolution passed at the 1946 Continental Congress, will be presented in the next issue of the Magazine. Watch for it!

FLORENCE H. PATTERSON  
(Mrs. Nathan R. Patterson),  
National Chairman Conservation Comm.

## News Items

### Fiftieth Anniversary Tea, Phoebe Bayard Chapter, Greensburg, Pa.

ON February 14, 1946, Phoebe Bayard Chapter, N. S. D. A. R., Greensburg, Pa., celebrated the 50th anniversary of date the Chapter's Charter was received with a program and tea in the Social Room of Zion Lutheran Church, at which Past Regents and sons and daughters of Charter members were honor guests. Four of the Charter members are still living, but only two on the membership roll—Miss Mary C. Oursler, Washington, D. C., and Mrs. James Armstrong, Clermont, Florida. They were unable to be present, but two sons of two Charter members present were James C. Oursler and Joseph D. Wentling.

The meeting opened with devotions by the Chaplain, Mrs. John W. Fairing, followed by singing first and last verses of America, and Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. There was special music by a guest soloist, greetings from Past Regents by Mrs. John C. Silsley, and the story of organization of the Chapter and a brief review of its work thru its 50 years of history by the Regent, Miss Nellie Woods.

The Charter members were Mrs. John F. Wentling, Sr., her two sisters, Mrs. James M. Latta and Mrs. Franklin W. Smith; Mrs. George F. Huff, Mrs. Amos Steck, Miss Mary R. Laird, Mrs. Elmer E. Lyon, Mrs. William A. Huff, Mrs. James Armstrong, Mrs. Jeffrey W. Taylor, Mrs. John R. Ousler and Miss Mary C. Oursler.

While the majority favored Westmoreland for a Chapter name, the intense opposition of the minority caused a reconsideration of vote taken when it was suggested a woman's name should be honored. The names then proposed were Phoebe Bayard, wife of a distinguished General; Eve Oury, cited for bravery at burning of Hannastown; Margaret Lowery Plumer, wife of a man prominent in early history of Westmoreland County; and Margaret Cochran Corbin, who took her husband's place when he was killed in battle, and lies buried in Military Cemetery at West Point, distinguished for bravery and loyalty to country.

Phoebe Bayard was the choice, and Charter was received making Phoebe Bayard the 23rd Chapter in the State and the 185th in the National Society.

Our first memorial was placed at "The Hermitage," home of General Arthur St. Clair, located two miles north of Ligonier. Other memorials include a bronze plaque with proper inscription riveted on wall outside the old Hannastown Spring on site of Hannastown Fort. A Barre granite seat placed in St. Clair Park, Greensburg, honoring the memory of Phoebe Bayard. At the same time, shrubbery was planted giving a beautiful background to the seat and a 45-foot flagpole presented and all accepted for the city by its Mayor. A two-and-one-half-ton boulder with bronze tablet attached placed on a foundation corner of the St. Clair home on Chestnut Ridge, three miles north of Youngstown. A flag with standard given for use in corridor of Westmoreland County Courthouse as a George Washington Bicentennial gift and Easton's film, "Washington, His Life and Time," to Greensburg High School for use in their History Department. A tablet placed on grave of Jane St. Clair Jarvis, youngest daughter of General St. Clair, the grave of Eve Oury located and marked, as well as graves of many Revolutionary soldiers.

Since 1927, March Fourth has been known as Pennsylvania Day through a measure instigated and sponsored by Phoebe Bayard Chapter. National projects have been supported and Naturalization Courts attended.

Special honor came to the Chapter with Mrs. Sarah Sandles serving as State Recording Secretary under Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, Mrs. Robert E. Drum under Mrs. William H. Alexander, Miss Elizabeth Sweeney as State Consulting Registrar under Mrs. Joseph G. Forney, and Mrs. Adam M. Wyant as Treasurer General under Mrs. Alfred J. Brosseau, President General.

The Chapter is also honored in having as a member Mrs. Charles DeVin Davis,

Annapolis, Md., a great-granddaughter of Phoebe Bayard, also three Real Daughters—Mrs. Margaret Craig died 1899, Mrs. Sarah A. Ross died 1905, and Mrs. Anna Heckler died 1907. Official Real Daughter Markers have been placed on their graves.

In 1907, upon protest of Phoebe Bayard Chapter, a bill in the State Legislature was not signed by the Governor which would have made it possible for the bodies of General St. Clair and wife to be moved to Public Square in Ligonier, Pa.

The card file system is used in keeping our records and papers and supplements so far as available have been bound.

A three-tiered birthday cake, topped with the number 50 in gold, and bouquets of daffodils decorated the tea table and potted ferns added to the attractiveness of the room.

We look back with pride upon the work accomplished, and when we meet 50 years hence to celebrate another Birthday Anniversary Day, may our records show achievements undreamed of today and a spirit of peace and brotherhood reigning throughout the world.

MISS NELLIE WOODS,  
Regent.

## The Iowa Banner

BY ELIZABETH B. INK

IN this the Centennial year of Iowa's statehood, the Iowa Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution is proud to claim one of her Honorary State Regents, Mrs. Dixie Cornell Gebhardt, as Iowa's own "Betsy Ross." And in this year of 1946, the Iowa banner designed by her observes its twenty-fifth anniversary.

Both the S. A. R. and the D. A. R. societies of Iowa sponsored a movement to secure a suitable state flag design during the years, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916 and 1917. When Mrs. Gebhardt became State Regent she was confronted with a resolution passed by the State Conference assembled to secure the flag design. The special flag committee of the D. A. R. selected her design from those submitted. On May 11, of that same year 1917, Iowa's governor and the State Council of Defense assembled at the State House, approved it. Then it was chosen and used for the Iowa Regimental Flag in World War I (1917-18) for the purpose of identifying Iowa military units at home and "Over There." It was presented to Gov. Harding, Oct. 30, 1917, but was not approved by the Iowa legislature until 1921.

The copyright of the design, issued to Mrs. Gebhardt by the United States Patent office, now rests in the manuscripts department of the archives of the Iowa Historical society in Des Moines.

Let Mrs. Gebhardt portray the significance of Iowa's flag in her own words—

"Iowa needed a banner symbolic of her commonwealth and which reflects the teachings of the Stars and Stripes. Iowa's banner embraces the history of its domain from its occupation by the Indians, discovery by the French, its purchase from Napoleon by Jefferson, up to its admission into the galaxy of states and down to the present time—all represented in a design so simple the school child can recognize its symbolism, and even 'spirits of those passed beyond' would know it meant IOWA.

"With these thoughts in mind is chosen the white unwritten page of history. It suggests Iowa in all its virgin beauty of unbroken wilderness, riotous flowers, unfettered nature, the original American unmolested enjoying its beauty, who, expressing his love for the rolling rich prairies, christened it Iowa, meaning "Beautiful Land." Upon the center of this fair page in the brilliant crimson color so admired by the American Indian, we paint the letters which spell IOWA.

"In 1500 this Iowa was discovered by the French and became French territory. When in 1804 it was purchased by the United States, the flag of France was the tricolor banner—our own national colors reversed. France had painted these colors upon Iowa's page of history, and they are so arranged in the design of Iowa's banner, since the French flag was the first banner to float over our beautiful land.



"We next study the great seal of Iowa for inspiration in working out a design for the emblem, and select therefrom the soaring eagle, our national bird, bearing in its beak flying blue streamers on which in letters of white is painted Iowa's state motto—"Our liberties we prize and our rights we will maintain." This motto, so wonderful and full of courage and perseverance, is placed upon the white portion of the field of the Iowa banner. The seal was designed and used by Iowa's early settlers and thus suggests the pioneer period. The standard of the Iowa flag may be surmounted by a gold ear of corn and tied with gold colored cord and tassels. A gold colored fringe may be used around the entire banner. The corn and gold are symbolic of Iowa's agriculture and wealth, and the hospitality and genuineness of her people.

And the fondest hope of the woman whose words we have quoted, Dixie Cornell Gebhardt, is "for the good people of Iowa

to like the flag, to learn to use it, and understand the symbolism of it."

"She has taught her grand nieces and nephews all about it. A five year old nephew recently came to spend the afternoon with 'Aunt Dixie' bringing with him a map of Iowa cut from a newspaper and colored crayons. Mrs. Gebhardt suddenly realized she could color the map like the flag. Now all the neighborhood kiddies bring Iowa to her to 'make beautiful.'"

Now Iowa's flag has come of age and is speaking to you—"I am no more than you believe me to be, and I am all that you believe I can be. I am what you make me, nothing more. I swing before your eyes a bright gleam of color, a symbol of yourself, the pictured suggestion of the big things which make a state. My stripes, my seal, my motto, and my name are your dreams and your labors. They are bright with courage, firm with faith, because you have made them out of your hearts; you are the makers and the guardians of the flag."

## Amsterdam Chapter, Amsterdam, N. Y.

THE year 1945-1946 opened with a most enjoyable Dessert-Bridge and a substantial sum was added to the Home Fund.

Interesting and instructive programs have included two films; one of the activities at Tamassee, and the other an Army film entitled "Returned to Duty" shown by three World War II veterans. An historical sketch "Work and Play in Early America" was given by a local member. Dr. Carl Guthe, director of the State Museum, gave a resume of the state's plan to restore Guy Park Manor in the traditional setting of the days when Guy Johnson and his family lived there. Included in the plan, there will be a museum devoted to exhibits of Revolutionary times.

Our chapter day meeting in February was given over to a review of the first decade of the chapter's history and a program entitled "Music in Washington's time." The annual Christmas party as usual, partook of the festive Yuletide spirit, the lighting of the Yule log, and the Christmas carols. Three Junior High School students read their essays for which they had received the literary awards from the D. A. R. History Contest presented last June. This year, Miss Mary Frances Kins-

man was the winner of the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Contest. The title of her essay was "The Youth's Responsibility Toward Permanent Peace."

One of the most outstanding programs was that devoted to the memory of the last Miss Mary Van der Veer, in appreciation of a bequest of historical articles brought from Holland and in her possession for many years. Miss Van der Veer, a descendant of Dutch pioneers from Veere, Holland, was a renowned artist. Her interesting career covered years of study in New York City, Philadelphia and Europe, under outstanding master artists, including Whistler. Her paintings were hung in important exhibits and in the great art galleries of both America and Europe.

Mrs. Stanley T. Manlove, Recording Secretary General of the National Society, was the guest of honor, and spoke to the chapter on D. A. R. work during the war, and in the veterans' hospitals now. Other daughters from nearby chapters were present as well as members of the Van der Veer family.

During the year, the chapter has met its financial obligations as requested by the national and the state societies as well as donations to the Red Cross, Community

War Chest, Tamassee and Ellis Island.

Reports show that the C. A. R. and the Professional and Business Women's Group have been active in their work.

We regret the passing of two members from our midst this year. Our membership is now 146.

At the June meeting, several students of Junior High School, winners of the Chapter's History Contest, exhibited their artis-

tic and constructive models which evidenced great talent, skill and originality.

Our retiring regent, Mrs. Harry F. Ledlie, presented a most interesting account of the Continental Congress which left us with an inspiration to carry on in the old traditions for which our National Society and its chapters stand.

MAUDE S. McDUFFIE,  
*Historian.*

## New Chapter in Illinois

ON May 8, 1946, a new Chapter was added to the list of Illinois Chapters of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, the 113th Chapter, Eli Skinner Chapter of Arlington Heights. The Chapter is named for Eli Skinner, a fifer in the American Revolution, who later lived and died in Arlington Heights, and is buried in a nearby cemetery.

The organization program, preceded by a luncheon at the Tally-Ho in Park Ridge, was held at the home of Mrs. M. W. Grigsby, the new Vice Regent. Mrs. J. DeForest Richards, of Chicago, State Regent of the Illinois Organization, N. S. D. A. R., from 1943-1946, was the guest of honor and speaker, giving a very entertaining and instructive talk on the activities and projects of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, and outlining the support and policy toward various important matters, especially National Defense.

Preceding the organization meeting, Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman, accompanied by Mrs. M. W. Grigsby, sang beautifully, "Jeanie With the Light Brown Hair," and "The Merry, Merry Month of May."

The following officers were installed: Regent—Mrs. Kenneth Gregory; Vice Regent—Mrs. M. W. Grigsby; Chaplain—Mrs. Arthur Mally; Secretary—Mrs. Don Stockdale; Treasurer—Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman; Registrar—Mrs. C. H. Mills; Historian—Mrs. B. T. Best.

Following the program and installation, tea was served and a social time enjoyed.

The members of the Chapter are: Mrs. Kenneth Gregory; Mrs. B. T. Best; Mrs. Mark Cleaver; Mrs. Harold S. Bingham; Mrs. Don Stockdale; Mrs. Milton Daniels; Mrs. C. H. Mills; Mrs. Daniel Vittum; Mrs. M. W. Grigsby; Mrs. Russell Wall; Mrs. A. J. Zimmerman, all of Arlington Heights; Mrs. Frank Fender, of Dundee; Mrs. Andrew Kettlesin; Mrs. Arthur Mally; Mrs. Madge Savage, all of Palatine.

Mrs. Frank Fay of Palatine and Mrs. H. B. Rose of Arlington Heights hold inactive associate memberships, with Mrs. Fay's membership in Glencoe Chapter and Mrs. Rose's membership in Evanston Chapter.

MRS. FRANK W. DISBROW,  
*State Recording Secretary.*

## The Fiftieth Anniversary Year of Betty Allen Chapter, Northampton, Massachusetts

THE Year Books for our Golden Jubilee Season had covers of gilt paper printed in blue.

The first of the inside white pages, also printed in blue, carried in addition to the regular headings, the following information:

Betty Allen

Born 1716

Died 1800

"An exemplary and eminent Christian"

Wife of Joseph Allen, a Revolutionary

soldier and Mother of six soldier sons

Underneath this inscription were two significant stanzas taken from Edith Scott Magna's poem, "Our D.A.R. Golden Jubilee."

The final inserted page was headed "In Memoriam." Underneath this caption and the names of four deceased members, was the inscription:

"The memory of the just is blessed."



From the monument erected by Solomon and Moses Allen A.D. 1816 in memory of Joseph Allen and his wife, Elisabeth Parsons.

An endeavor was made to have the entire program of the year outstanding.

On September 25, a luncheon was held in the Chapter House in honor of the regents of Betty Allen Chapter. The Hospitality and Ways and Means Committees co-operated with the Program Committee to make this occasion a success. Mrs. Harold Irving Grousbeck, a professional vocalist, spoke on "Famous Songs and Their Stories" and there was audience participation in the singing of numerous well-loved selections.

This being a year of reminiscences, on October, Mrs. Lazell A. Brainard, a minister's daughter, spoke on "Memories of a New England Parsonage" and piano numbers were given by another minister's daughter, one of our newest members.

On November 27, Betty Allen's Wedding Day was celebrated. This was Guest Day, with members from neighboring chapters and our acting State Chaplain in attendance. The Rev. Albert J. Penner, pastor of the Second Congregational Church in Holyoke, was the speaker, discussing "One World or None." The traditional wedding cake was donated by the chairman of our Hospitality Committee, who, with her members, strove throughout the year to make each refreshment hour a delightful period.

"America through the Eyes of Stephen Vincent Benet" was the title of the discourse and readings given by Miss Vera A. Sickels of the Smith College Speech Department at the December 18 meeting. This was a substitute program, as the Honorable Charles R. Glason, who was to have discussed "Some of our Problems in Post-War Europe" was at the last moment detained in Washington. Appropriate Christmas music was furnished by members of the chorus of the Northampton Woman's Club. Donations to the Approved Schools and generous contributions to Ellis Island were also featured.

January, the month of the organization of our chapter, was observed by a tea commemorating that event. A number of members dressed in colonial costume and Mrs. Walter E. Corbin, our registrar, told of "Betty Allen and Her Family." Among the interesting facts which she revealed

was the hitherto unknown information that *Betty Allen really had seven soldier sons.* Guests of honor for this January 22 event were: Mrs. Herbert Eugene McQuesten, Massachusetts State Regent; Mrs. Warren S. Currier, acting State Vice-Regent; Mrs. Alfred Williams, Acting State Chaplain; Mrs. Holcombe J. Brown, State Historian and Mrs. Frank E. Roberts, State Curator. Appropriate vocal selections were given by Mrs. Charles W. Wells—both she and her accompanist, Miss Louise Mosher, wearing period gowns. A colonial bouquet was sent at this time to Miss Clara C. Allen, one of our members who is a descendant of Betty Allen.

In the Forbes Library for over a week, in connection with this celebration, there was an exhibit of Year Books covering our 50 years.

Mr. Adelbert M. Jakeman, head of the English Department in the Westfield High School, gave an illustrated lecture on February 26 entitled, "Literary New England in Natural Color" while on March 26, Miss Annetta I. Clark discussed "Reminiscences as Secretary to Smith College Presidents."

State Conference Reports were given by our delegates at the April 23 meeting, with the two good citizenship pilgrims sponsored by our chapter also giving their impressions of the memorable day in Boston. A musical program arranged by Mr. William J. Short, Supervisor of Music in the Northampton Public Schools, was likewise enjoyed. Besides piano selections by Mr. Short, two young girls, St. Michael's High School students, were featured in vocal solos and a Northampton High School Student in outstanding piano-acordion numbers. Miss Betty Mango, the latter student, also appeared in a radio broadcast in the fall commemorating our anniversary year.

The final meeting of the season was held on May 28 when Continental Congress reports prepared by the two delegates attending the sessions were heard. Miss Anna Gertrude Brewster, our only charter member and Mrs. Walter A. Sheldon, another devoted member of long standing, also spoke, their topic being "Recollections—the Early Meetings and History of Betty Allen Chapter."

Although we had hoped to have our President General with us, as well as Mrs. Russell William Magna, Hon. President

General and the daughters of Mrs. George W. Cable, the first regent of Betty Allen Chapter, they were unable to be present. However each had sent regrets, and a telegram arrived from Mrs. Magna shortly before the meeting.

On that day, a display of significant Americana in keeping with the founding of our society and its historical background was featured in the front parlor of our Chapter House.

The refreshments that afternoon were appropriate for a Golden Jubilee celebration, too, for the tea cakes had yellow frosting and one section of the ice cream was also of yellow.

The addition of eight new members, one transferred member and two associate members also helped to make the past season memorable.

Another feature of signal significance was the simple yet impressive service arranged by Mrs. Ernest L. Thrasher, regent from 1942-1945, who from her regent's fund had purchased markers to be placed on the graves of the deceased regents of Betty Allen Chapter on the morning of May 29.

That afternoon, books were presented by members, in the name of the Chapter, to students in the Junior High Schools of the city. Those so honored had been chosen by faculty members in each case for their excellence in United States History and their exemplification of the ideals of citizenship.

In conclusion, Mrs. Thomas McConnell, our present regent, gave one thousand dollars so that a \$10 cash prize may be presented indefinitely in the name of Betty Allen Chapter, at the graduation exercises of the Senior Class of the Northampton High School, to the student who is most deserving because of having done Special Investigation in United States History. This award has encouraged the seniors to do a great deal of research before writing their essays, the principal, Mr. Ronald J. Darby, has declared. This award continues the prize which Miss Mina Wood, a former regent, made possible during her lifetime.

MARY A. CLARK DICKINSON,  
*Vice-Regent and Program Chairman.*

## Approved Schools

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creased cost of building with our own increased interest, love and service to our D.A.R. family of boys and girls at Tamassee.

Success can be ours if every Member will give active, enthusiastic support to this major project of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

A gift to the Tamassee Anniversary Fund means recognition of the twenty-five years of untiring service our school has so successfully rendered to the boys and girls within its walls—boys and girls who are descended, as are we, from the Revolutionary Soldiers who gave us our Liberty. A gift to Tamassee is partial payment of the debt we owe to these Patriots. How better can we show our undying appreciation of the sacrifices they made for us than to continue our service to those whom they left in our care?

Watch the pages of this Magazine for

special opportunities to honor your State Regent, Chapter Regent or outstanding Member. A list of possible gifts . . . windows, stairways, lighting fixtures, loud speaker, stage curtain, chairs, etc . . . will appear in the future, with cost of each. This list will be sent to members upon request.

In order to assure credit for your Chapter and State *BE SURE* to send all gifts through your STATE TREASURER to the TREASURER GENERAL clearly marked "*FOR TAMASSEE ANNIVERSARY FUND.*"

Your National Committee for Approved Schools would like to complete this Fund before Christmas, thus assuring the students that the cold and discomfort of the winter months are about to vanish like a bad dream.

HENRIETTA P. CARWITHEN,  
*National Chairman, Approved Schools.*

# Treasures of our Museum

"AS THE HOURS PASS"

BY GLADYS HUNKINS WEBSTER, Curator

"When thy shadow falleth the space of thy footprint, thirtyfold, meet me then at the market place"—thus was time gauged for appointments of the ancients. And in the Greece of 500 or 400 B. C., the progressive method of noting the passing hours was by the sun-dial, an invention acquired from the Babylonians who, in the young year of ca. 2000 B. C., achieved the world's first teller of time.

The second type of timekeeper was the Greek water clock, which in varying forms was used through the 17th century. The earliest was probably an earthen vessel with one small perforation in the base, through which water dripped. As the container was filled to a definite mark, the time required for the water to escape became a constant unit of time. In the 300's B. C., Athenian court pleas were timed by water—ten gallons for a case involving over 5000 drachmas (\$65.00)—"the first water was given to the accuser, the second to the accused and the third to the judges." Roman senators also availed themselves of water time to prevent filibustering!

In America, for many a year, the farmer's wife blew the conch shell or old tin dinner horn to call her man from field or woods when the sun reached the noonmark on the south window sill. But 1698 boasted at least two clock-makers, pioneers who came from England and Holland, bringing Old World tools with which they made Old World types of clocks for New America.

Until ca. 1800 our clocks were all handmade, works of brass or wood, and (except for wag-on-the-walls) almost exclusively grandfathers. Customarily the works were purchased from a city clockmaker and/or importer, and the tall case achieved by the home town cabinet maker. (The name "grandfather" seems first to have been suggested by the popular song of ca. 1880, appropriately written in Connecticut, "My Grandfather's Clock").

In early Colonial days, dials were brass (the term "dial" deriving from "dies," day, as the complete dial registry represents one day of time), replaced ca. 1770 by painted white clockfaces.

Hoods were terminated by straight tops, later superseded by arch tops and scroll tops, the latter being outstanding from ca. 1770 to the end of the grandfather clock era (ca. 1850). More scroll tops very likely were produced than all other grandfather clock designs combined. The Philadelphia Chippendale scroll top design of David Rittenhouse (who laid the cornerstone of the Mason and Dixon line) is probably the most important American grandfather clock and case ever made. To his Tory brother-in-law, Rittenhouse gave a clock with the priceless dial inscription, "Tempus fugit, Mind Your Own Business"—good advice for a Tory.

After the Revolution, the more delicate neo-classic scroll-top grandfather, with eagle and star inlay, stood on the stair and in the parlor, companioning our greatest American heroes and our most elegant furniture.

Tall in our affection stands the grandfather clock which told the hours of the Boston Tea Party, the inauguration of Washington, the Treaty of Ghent, and the glittering dreams of Forty-nine.

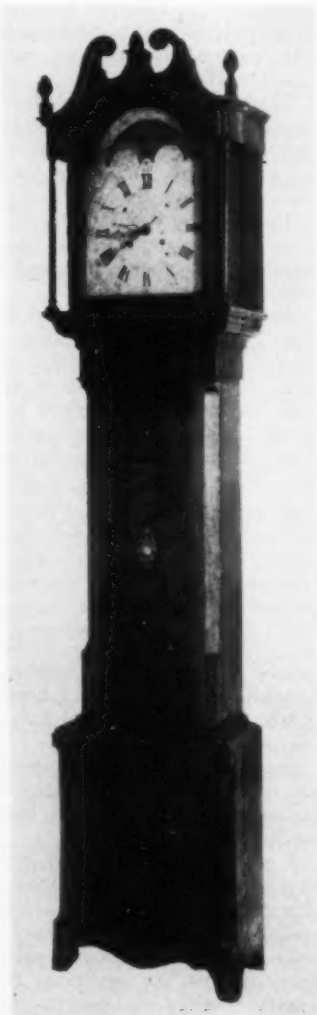


Illustration Note: The First Grandfather Clock, According to Tradition, West of the Alleghenies. The works were brought mule-back over the Mountains from Philadelphia and set in a case made, by a local cabinet-maker, of virgin wood from the Quaker owner's home acres in Pennsylvania. Note eagle inlay.

FROM THE CATCHINGS COLLECTION.

# Parliamentary Procedure

HERE is a question that is asked quite often, as some members feel if they are life members they are exempt from any further fees in the chapter. Question—Does a life member have any responsibility for fees and dues after she has taken out a life membership? As an answer to this question I shall quote the National Society's By-Laws, Article V, Section 5, as amended at the Fifty-first Continental Congress, 1942: "All life members are exempt from annual dues except such as may be levied by the chapter of which they are members. Life members may transfer from a chapter to membership-at-large, or to a chapter, or from membership-at-large to a chapter. If the life member paid one hundred dollars at one time between April 30, 1921 and July 1, 1938, the life membership fee (fifty dollars) shall be transferred to the National Society or to the chapter to which she transferred." Therefore you see a life member does not have to pay annual dues but must pay any fees levied by the chapter of which she is a member.

Life members have all the rights and privileges as well as the responsibilities of any other member and should be willing to assume the proportionate part of any fees levied by the chapter. According to Article IX, Chapters, of the N. S. By-Laws, Section 8, paragraph (b): "Life members shall be counted in the basis for representation."

This type of membership has been abolished, through proper amendments by the National Society and there will not be any new life members in the future; those members who were already life members before this amendment was adopted, will of course remain such as long as they belong to the National Society.

Your parliamentarian finds that in many of the by-laws sent to her, the chapters state in the article on "Duties of Officers": "That the duties of officers shall be those usually pertaining to these offices." Such a blanket rule is entirely out of order. While there are some general duties for officers, each officer's duties should be clearly defined, and under her duties should be the duty required of her by the National Society, by the state conference and by the chapter. Besides, there is no general rule

for the duties of an officer that can be used by every organization, for what suits one chapter may not be applicable to another chapter, so PLEASE BE SPECIFIC in stating the duties of your officers.

Another question: May counselors or directors serve on the executive board of a chapter? YES, if they are nominated and elected by the same method the chapter requires for electing the officers. It is a fine thing to have these counselors or directors, when properly elected, on the board and then serve as the chairmen of the standing committees. One chapter has, I note, included nine counselors, assigning each a chairmanship of a committee that parallels a National or state standing committee, or the chairmanship of a special committee of the chapter. I most heartily recommend these additional members of the chapter's executive board, no matter by what name the chapter calls them, for they can render a great service to the Society in promoting the different phases of its work. I am taking the liberty of offering a suggestion as to forming these committees. State in the chapter by-laws that each chairman may select two members to serve on her committee. This will bring congenial women together and expedite the work.

In checking a chapter's by-laws I found that in the article on "Fees and Dues," the apportionments set by the National Board were included in this article. This is a mistake, as these apportionments are subject to change by the National Board, and are not even carried in the N. S. By-Laws. They are for the work of the National Society's Standing Committees and the Board has the right to change its percentages when it deems necessary. The chapter's article on "Fees and Dues" may be amended as set forth in the chapter's article on "Amendments" and it would be quite a bit of trouble to have to amend this article in your own by-laws every time the National Board changed the percentages.

Here is the answer again to the perennial question: If a chapter's by-laws state that "The election shall be by ballot," is any other method of voting legal? NO. If the by-laws say BALLOT, then BALLOT it must be.

Quite often, when there is only one candidate for an office somebody, thinking she is helping to rush matters, makes this motion: "I move the Secretary be instructed to cast the unanimous ballot for Mrs. J— as Regent." This vote is usually taken by voice, which is contrary to the rule stated in the by-laws. Now, it is permissible to make this motion, but to instruct the Secretary that must be done by ballot, and if there is one person voting NO on her ballot the Secretary is not authorized to cast the ballot. The motion was to cast the unanimous ballot and one NO keeps it from being unanimous. If this is the result of the ballot then the chapter must ballot on the candidate, so after all no time has been saved. All elections are (or they should be) a majority vote, and to instruct the

Secretary the vote must be unanimous. Just one over half of those who vote can elect a candidate but one NO prevents the ballot from being unanimous. Next time you feel constrained to make the motion, stop and think of the risk you take in that there might have to be two ballots before the candidate is elected. This motion is not a time-saver as most people think, for in the time it takes to ballot on giving the Secretary the privilege of casting your ballot, which must be unanimous, the candidate could have been elected, and by just a majority.

Faithfully yours,

NELLIE WATTS FLEMING

(Mrs. Hampton Fleming),

*Parliamentarian, N. S. D. A. R.*

## D. A. R. Gift to Hollywood

THERE'S a new star in filmland's firmament—a bright and twinkling star. It's little Connie Marshall, ten years old and born in New York, who stole the show in her first picture, "Sunday Dinner for a Soldier." Anyway, she moved the grown-up principals in that picture a trifle off center, when she and her pet hen, "Miss Easter," caught the audience's sympathetic interest. Connie made such a hit in the role she at once became the recipient of thousands of fan letters and one enthusiastic corps of overseas engineers who saw a front-line presentation of the film wrote asking Connie to be their mascot, because she reminded so many of them of their own little girls back home.

Until two years ago, Connie lived in New York City, where she and her older sister, Priscilla, went to school and played and danced in school plays. Connie was always photogenic. Her childish grace and ability to hold a pose were observed by several studios while illustrators on the outlook for child models engaged her. She attracted the attention of a discriminating motion picture agent, was invited to take a screen test, and was told if the producers were interested she might hear further from them. She did—just two days later—when Fox wired her mother they were to take the five o'clock train for Hollywood that afternoon. They had been seeking a child to take the important part of Mary Osborn

in "Sunday Dinner" and Connie seemed made for it. Exciting times after that, and roles in "Sentimental Journey" and several other pictures not yet released.

Connie is a versatile child, has studied ballet and ballroom dancing, likes swimming, skating, and fishing, while her overweening ambition is to be a great actress.

Connie Marshall's mother, Mrs. John Trumbull Marshall, is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and while living in New York was a member of the National D. A. R. Motion Picture Preview Committee. Her father, Captain Marshall, was with the Allied Military Government in Europe, is now released, and is with his family in California. Connie is a descendant of Gerardus Beekman (first Colonial governor of New York) of Priscilla Alden, Chief Justice Marshall and other well known Colonials.

But it's not all cookies and "coke" for little Hollywood stars; they are not relieved from the responsibilities of everyday children; and Connie must study her school lessons as well as her new roles. Her mother is on the lot all the time she is rehearsing and this means whole days at a time. Connie attends school on the Fox lot, finding time as well for piano lessons, Sunday School and a Church Club.

MARION LEE MONTGOMERY,

*Chairman.*



# Genealogical Department

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## WASHINGTON COUNTY, OHIO

WITHOUT owning one acre at that time, Congress, in 1776, appropriated thousands of acres of land to officers and soldiers as an inducement for service in the Revolutionary War.

The delay in fulfillment of these promises was a matter of controversy for many years. In behalf of these Veterans of the First United States War, President George Washington, in April, 1784, appealed to Congress for action.

After many disappointments, finally, in January, 1786, General Rufus Putnam and Benjamin Tupper issued a call for a meeting of officers, soldiers and others to form an Ohio Company, the object of which was to raise a fund not to exceed a million dollars in continental certificates, for the purpose of buying western lands in Western Territory and making a settlement.

The contract for the sale of 1,500,000 acres at \$1.00 per acre, was signed October 27, 1787, the Company paying at that time one-half of the purchase price.

The history of these expansion days of our new republic, the delays and disappointments of the share-holders of the Ohio Company of Associates, are examples of American determination to overcome obstacles.

The first party of emigrants left Danvers, Massachusetts, December 1, 1787, and was conducted by Major Haffield White. The second party left Hartford, Connecticut, January 1, 1788, under the leadership of Captain Ebenezer Sproat, General Putnam overtaking them on January 24.

The first party reached the Youghiogheny River, January 23rd, and the second on February 14, 1788. The story of their hardships during this journey of eight weeks across the mountains in winter demonstrates the character of these hardy pioneers.

Arriving at Sumrill's Ferry, now West Newton, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, they built boats upon which to float

down the rivers to the mouth of the Muskingum. The largest boat, first called the "Adventure Galley" was afterwards named the "Mayflower" in honor of that famous vessel of 1620. They finally landed on April 7, 1788, the date still celebrated as the first settlement in Ohio.

They began the survey of lots of eight acres each, log houses were built and their town at first called Adelphia, was changed by the Directors of the Ohio Company of Associates on July 2, 1788, to Marietta "in honor of Marie Antoinette, the Queen of that French King and nation who had helped these brave men in the times that tried men's souls."

A list of these early settlers is given in Williams' History of Washington County, Ohio, published in 1881. From it we list the names of those forty-eight persons who arrived in Ohio "on the Mayflower."

General Rufus Putnam, Superintendent of Colony.

Colonel Ebenezer Sproat, Major Anselem Tupper, Return J. Meigs and John Mathews, surveyors.

Major Haffield White, steward and quartermaster.

Captains Jonathan Devol, Josiah Munro, Daniel Davis, Peregrine Foster, Jethro Putnam, William Gray and Ezekiel Cooper.

Jabez Barlow	Elizur Kirtland
Daniel Bushnell	Theophilus Learned
Phileas Coburn	Joseph Lincoln
Ebenezer Cory	Simeon Martin
Samuel Cushing	William Mason
Jervis Cutler	Henry Maxon
Israel Danton	William Miller
Jonas Davis	Edmund Moulton
Allen Devol	William Moulton
Gilbert Devol, Jr.	Amos Porter
Isaac Dodge	Allen Putnam
Oliver Dodge	Benjamin Shaw
Samuel Felshaw	Earl Sproat
Hezekiah Flint	David Wallis
Hezekiah Flint, Jr.	Joseph Wells
John Gardner	Josiah White
Benjamin Griswold	Peletiah White
Josiah Whitridge	

Ohio was admitted to the Union November 29, 1802. The first census on file in the Census Bureau is that of 1820 of its then eleven counties.





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	10	16	26	45	up	10	16	26	45	up	10	16
Benoni Lewis	0	0	3	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	1	1
Joseph Kersey	3	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	0
John Dilly	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
Benj. F. Stone	3	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	0	1	0
Margaret Lubody	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	1	0
James More	0	0	0	1	0	5	2	0	1	0	1	0
Edmund Rathburn	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	0
James Shepard	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
John Bennett	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	0
William Browning	1	2	2	1	1	0	0	3	1			
Jonathan Mees	0	2	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	1
Jacob Miller	2	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Nahum Bent	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Anthony Robertson	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Daniel Green	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	1	1		
Conrod Cook	2	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	0
Mary Dana	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	2	0			

Frances Ellinwood	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0
John Rouse	2	0	1	2	1	0	0	1	1	1
James Bellows, Junr.	3	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0
Benjamin Bigford	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
Silas Bent	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1
Reuben Jones	1	3	0	0	1	4	2	0	0	1
Susanna Stone	0	1	3	1	0	0	1	1	0	1
William H. Bellows	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
Perley Howe	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
William Done	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0
Miles Ockley	1	0	1	0	1	2	2	1	0	1
Sylvester Ward	1	0	1	0	1	3	1	1	1	0
Joseph Newbury	3	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	1	0
Sherebiah Fletcher	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1
Samuel Barr	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
Aaron W. Putnam	1	1	3	1	1	5	1	1	1	0
Josiah Whiting	2	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	0
Nathaniel Cushing	0	0	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	1
Daniel Fisher	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1
Samuel Nash	0	0	1	0	1	3	1	0	0	1
Jonathan Haskel	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mariam Sparrowhawk	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Robert Bradford	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Cornelius Delano	1	0	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	1
Isaac Pierce	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Daniel Goodno	2	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	1	0
Samuel Stone	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
William Lewis	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Daniel Loring	0	0	4	0	1	0	1	2	0	1
Oliver Rice	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Zadock Foster	0	2	1	1	0	3	1	1	1	0
Benjamin Miles	0	2	3	0	1	0	1	0	1	2
Benja H. Miles	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Cyrus Amos	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Reuben Allen	1	1	3	0	1	1	1	0	0	1
Elizabeth Cogshall	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
Nathanl Sawyer	0	3	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	1
William Littleton	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
Benjamin Bellows	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0
Stephen Guthrie	3	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
Eunice Curtis	0	1	2	1	0	1	1	1	1	0
Reuben Knowles	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	1	0
Joel Oaks	3	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	1	0
Aaron Clough	1	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	1	0
Joseph Levins	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	1
James Knowles	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Truman Guthrie	5	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
John Weatherby	2	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	1	0
John Johnson	3	1	2	0	1	1	1	2	1	0
James Robertson	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
Bial Stedman	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Joseph Tilton	3	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	1	0
James Bellows	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Joseph Dilly	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0
Richard Dilly	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	0	1	0
Elihu Clark	1	1	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	1
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## NEWPORT TOWNSHIP

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John Gill	10	16	26	45	up	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Edward Stephenson	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Thomas Simmes	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
Mary Little	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
William Rea	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
Isaac Wilson	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0

0	Reuben Martin	0	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
1	Oliver Hartwell	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
0	Coleman Holdren	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
0	Thomas Fergusson	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0
1	Ziba McVey	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
1	John Holdren	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
1	Joseph Holdren	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
0	Stephen Dana	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0
0	Benja Racer, Jr.	3	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
0	William Dana	2	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	1	0
1	John Greene, Jr.	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
0	John Greene	0	0	3	2	1	1	1	2	0	1
0	Ebenezer Battelle, Jr.	1	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
1	Ebenezer Battele	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
1	Luther Dana	3	2	3	1	0	3	0	0	1	0
0	John Riley	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0

## FEARING TOWNSHIP

Names of Heads of Families	Free		White		Males		Free		White		Females	
	A	B	C	D	E		A	B	C	D	E	
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1	John Porter	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
0	Job Moore	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
0	William Cawood	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
0	Joseph Caywood	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
0	Thomas Cawood	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	1	1	0	0
1	Thomas Browning	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
0	Ann Browning	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
0	Joseph Forbs	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
2	Joseph Forbs, Jr.	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
0	Benja Gitteau	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
0	Samuel Ashton	3	3	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0
1	Amos Miller	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
1	Jacob Wells	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	1	0	0
1	James White	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
1	John H. White	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0
0	Joseph Higgins	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
0	Abraham Whipple	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
0	Catharine Sproat	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
0	William Harris	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	Andrew Harris	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
0	Simon Bodwell	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	0
1	Thomas Stanley	0	0	3	0	1	4	2	1	1	0	0
1	Daniel G. Stanley	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
0	Anaxamander Warner	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
0	Andrew Greene	3	1	0	0	1	2	1	1	1	1	0

(To be continued in September issue.)

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REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS' PENSIONS OF  
ORANGE COUNTY, N. C.By Dr. John Goodwin Herndon, 1 College  
Lane, Haverford, Pennsylvania.

## JOSEPH AND SALLY BARBEE (W 23,522)

Joseph Barbree, who served in Capt. M. Patterson's company of light horse under command of Col. John Taylor, was born 7 Feb., 1761 and died 3 Oct. 1826. He married in Orange County, N. C., 1 Oct. 1782 Sally Trice. On 10 Nov. 1843 she gave her age as 75 years. She was then a resident of Marion County, Illinois. A son-in-law, Ross Jones, of the same county, certified to the correctness of her statements. Sally (Trice) Barbree died 19 Sept. 1845. Accompanying the claim was a page cut from the family

Bible on which were listed the names of the children of Joseph and Sally Barbree and the dates of their birth, as follows:

Polly, 20 Oct. 1784.  
Rittie, 20 May 1787.  
Nancy, 20 Aug. 1790.  
Major E., 1 Mch. 1793.  
Elizabeth, 12 Sep. 1795.  
Edy, 30 April 1798.  
Horace, 28 March 1800.  
Young P., 28 May 1804.  
Trice C., 3 July 1807.  
Pirtimon B., 3 Feby. 1811.

And last Sally B. Mitcheam, 20 Feb. 1814, (clearly implying that this last entry was made after Sally Barbree had married a Mr. Mitcheam.)

## THOMAS AND FANNY MARCOM (W 9,540)

Thomas Marcom was born 4 January 1752 in Caroline County, Va., according to his affidavit, and moved to Orange County, N. C., when he was about 12 years old (1764). His widow Fanny in an affidavit dated 28 October 1839 declared that she was then 85 years of age, that her husband Thomas Marcom had died 13 February 1839, and that he and she had been married by Tygnet Jones, Esq., in the latter part of November 1773. (Nowhere in these papers does she state her maiden name, but tradition has it that she was a sister to Capt. Benjamin Herndon and Capt. George Herndon, both of Orange County.) Her application papers include a record of the birth of their children, copied from the family Bible, as follows, with the surname sometimes spelled Marcom, sometimes Marcum:

Milley Marcum, 27 Sept. 1774.  
 Isaiah Marcom, 5 Sept. 1776.  
 Elisha Marcum, 7 Nov. 1778.  
 Thomas Marcum, 27 Nov. 1781.  
 Polly Marcum, 1 Mch. 1783.  
 Celey Marcum, 28 Jly. 1785.  
 Nancy Marcum, 4 Dec. 1787.  
 Nathan Marcum, 28 Nov. 1790.  
 Betsy Marcum, 15 Dec. 1792.  
 William Marcum, 2 Dec. 1795.  
 Edmond Marcum, 3 Jun. 1798.  
 Patty Marcum, 9 Mch. 1801.  
 Fanny Marcum, 29 Aug. 1803.  
 William Marcum, 9 Mch. 1807.

The supporting affidavits were subscribed by Aquila Herndon and Sullivan Leigh before King Barbee. (Aquilla Herndon was a son of Captain Benjamin Herndon. King Barbee was a son of John Barbee and his wife Esther, daughter of Captain George Herndon. King Barbee married Nancy, daughter of James Herndon.)

## JAMES AND POLLY HERNDON

James Herndon, at his own residence in Orange County, being too infirm to attend Court to make this declaration, declared in an affidavit dated 10 March 1838, that he was then 80 years old, that he was born in Wake County, N. C., and lived there in 1780 when on 1 February he entered the service by draft and served 3 months as a private of dragoons under Capt. Bledsoe, Col. Mebane, in the Hillsborough and Haw River District, and that he thought that Mark Patterson was then lieutenant of his company; that he was drafted a second time in a company of dragoons in which Benjamin Herndon was captain, Zachariah Herndon, lieutenant, and Malmedy, the Colonel. Edmund Herndon made affidavit that he was a junior brother of James. Aquilla Herndon testified that he was a son of the aforementioned Captain Benjamin Herndon and that he knew the statements in the claim to be true. On 26 Feb. 1856 Mary M. Dixon Herndon swore that she was 66 years of age, that she and James Herndon were married 5 May 1814 by Abner Alston, justice of the peace, and that her husband James Herndon had died in Orange County 14 Sept. 1839. Willis Marcom certified that he had been present at the marriage. Rhodes Herndon (Rhodes Nash Herndon was his full name) declared that he was on the marriage bond of James Herndon

(who was his uncle) and Polly Dixon which was dated 3 May 1814.

## BAXTER AND ELLEN KING (W 20,321)

This file is so rich in genealogical data that the briefest statement of its contents shows that Baxter King, after service first as a sergeant, but mostly as a captain of a cavalry company under General Butler and General Caswell, died 10 March 1801; that his wife whom he married in January 1778 was Eleanor Johnson, born 1 May 1759, in the Hawfields, daughter of George Johnston, Sr.; that they had the following children:

John King, born 1779, living in 1839.

Margaret, born 1781, "died of the smallpox spread by the British who march through the Hawfields in February 1781, and Baxter King had a severe attack of it in the spring of 1781."

Margaret, 1783 (a second child of the same name).

Mary King, January 1785.

Hannah King b 24 August 1787.

Nancy King.

Polly King

Elizabeth, b 1792.

Johnston King.

Nathaniel I. King.

Hannah Loyd, sister of Baxter King, "remembers very well of the *in-fair* at her father's" the next day after the wedding of Baxter King and Ellen Johnston, and that they were married 64 years ago last January, affidavit dated 5 Dec 1842. Similar statement by Rebecca Andrews another sister of Baxter King. James Johnston, brother to Ellen King, swore to his presence at the marriage of his sister and Baxter King, the ceremony being performed by Wm. McCaully, justice of the peace for the County, "at the dwelling house of our father George Johnston." James Turner and his wife Rebecca stated that they were acquainted with Ellen King "since earliest recollection," that they lived within a mile of George Johnston's, Ellen's father's; and that Ellen King lives in the village of Chapel Hill.

## JAMES AND REBECCA TURNER (W 11,573)

James Turner, Revolutionary War Soldier of the Hawfields, living in Alamance County, N. C., declared 24 November 1855 that he was then ninety-eight years old. On 26 March 1856 Rebecca Turner, then aged eighty-nine years, swore that she was named Rebecca Clendenin when about 1 January 1789 she married James Turner, and that he had died in Alamance County 12 February 1856. She subscribed to that affidavit before James Clendenin, J. P.

The following notes apply to some of the persons mentioned in the foregoing records:

The will of Thomas Marcom is recorded in Orange County, N. C. (The spelling of the name is usually Marcom or Marcum, but Marcomb, Markham are also found, not in this will but in other records of the family.)

Lieutenant Zachariah Herndon was the eldest son of Captain George Herndon. James Herndon, the pensioner, was the second son. Edmund, mentioned as a junior brother of James's, was the fourth son of George and Sarah Herndon. Mary Maxwell Dixon, daughter of James Dixon, was the second wife of James Herndon. His will was

witnessed by Aquilla Herndon and Sullivan Leigh, the same persons who filed affidavits in the pension claim papers of Thomas and Fanny Marcom.

George Johnston, Sr., of the Hawfields, was also a Revolutionary War soldier certain of whose descendants have submitted data concerning his service. He was a pensioner, too. His wife's name was—Nealey, not Mc Neil, as stated on one paper.

The date of the marriage bond on James Turner and Rebecca Clendenin was 25 May 1790.

In the will of Thomas Marcom, dated 12 July 1838, he mentions his beloved wife Fanny and the following children and grand children:

(1) son Nathan; (2) children of my son Edmund [He m. Nancy Mason], being William, Mary, and Henderson M. Marcom; (3) my daughter Amelia [Milley, of the Bible record, who m 30 May 1793 William Dodd; (4) daughter Celia [Celey, of the Bible record, who m 1st 18 April 1805 Chapman Hopson and 2nd—Cates; (5) my son Isaiah; (6) son Thomas [who m 13 Dec 1804 Polly Bilbo]; (7) daughter Polly [who m 28 Aug 1811 Henry Shepherd]; (8) daughter Patsy [who m 23 Dec 1828 William B. Williams; (9) granddaughter Winney Marcom [who m 10 April 1841 Mark Rigby]; (10) granddaughter Mary Moring [who had as Mary Carlton m 7 August 1833 Patrick Moring]; and (11) Elizabeth [relationship not stated, but undoubtedly his daughter Elizabeth who m 25 Aug 1810 Thomas Trice Carlton.

The above contribution prompted an investigation of Dr. John Goodwin Herndon's genealogical research activities. His gifts to our D. A. R. library include:

Report on the BIRCKHEAD Family of Maryland

Notes on Some of the Descendants of John Wingfield and his wife Sarah Garland

The LEACH Family of Calvert and Montgomery Counties, Maryland

Notes on the O'Neals Family of Frederick and Montgomery Counties Maryland, as well as the will of Thomas Ball, of Prince Georges and Frederick Counties

Report on the LETTON Family of Maryland  
William Young (1706-1779), of Prince Georges County, Maryland Notes on his family

Notes on Some of the Descendants of William Grimes and his wife Mary Sterling.

#### Among other writings are:

The Ancestry of Col. John Waller (1673-1754) of Spotsylvania (Va): William and Mary Quarterly, Second Series, volume 22, pages 312-316, for July 1942.

Six Herndon Immigrants to Colonial America: *ibid.*, Second Series, Volume 23, pages 331-335, for July 1943

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#### MARRIAGE BONDS IN MASON COUNTY, KENTUCKY

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(Continued from July issue.)

Gray, Alason, and Ruth Cowgill, Dec. 19, 1816.

Alanson Gill (?) B; Elisha Cowgill, B.

Gordley, John, and Isabella Bettis, Sept. 10, 1816.

Jos. Peck, B.

Harper, Robert, and Nancy Warring, Jan. 24, 1816.

Jos. Finch, B.

Herndon, Wm., and Catherine Stout, Feb. 22, 1816.

Thos. Herndon, B.; Wm. Stout, W.

Hillman, Jas., and Nancy Maria Wheelock, Oct. 2,

1816. E. L. R. Wheelock, B.

Hill, Othia, and Matilda Leach, Nov. 5, 1816.

Benj. Leach, B.

Henry, John, and Nancy Ellis, Dec. 30, 1816.

Jas. Ellis, B. & F.

Hopper, McMulin, and Lydia Summer(s?),

Mch. 11, 1816. Wm. Summers, B.

Hornbuckle, Hardin, and Sarah McAdo, Sept. 30,

1816. John McAdo, B.

Howard, Henry, and Sarah Douglas, Aug. 5, 1816.

Geo. Douglas, B.

Howard, Samuel, and Market (?) Disher, Nov. 16,

1816. Christopher Disher, B.

Howell, John, and Sarah Dawson, Apr. 3, 1816.

Samuel Cracraft, B.; Sibel Dawson, M.

Hukins, Thos., and Christian Hukins, Oct. 10,

1816. Daniel Hukins, B.

Jackson, Edward, and Hannah Wiggins, Mch. 25,

1816. Jos. Wiggins, B.

James, Thos., Jr., and Harriet McNary, Dec. 31,

1816. John Anderson, Jr., B.; John McNary,

F.; Beverly James, F.

Jennings, Wm., and Nancy Marshall Anderson,

July 11, 1816. Stokes Anderson, B.

Johnston, Hiram, and Mary Fitzgerald, Apr. 22,

1816. David Fitzgerald, B.; Kirk Tilton, Gnd.

of Mary, F.

Johnson, Jacob, and Ann Shields, Oct. 2, 1816.

Wm. Shields, B.

Johnson, Elijah, and Harriet Shackelford, Oct. 23,

1816. Moses Phillips, B.; Geo. Shackelford, F.

Johnston, Wm., and Asenith Craig, Dec. 23, 1816.

John Craig, B.

Kemper, Joshua, and Nancy Fox (widow), Nov.

27, 1816. Lysander West, B.

Kile, Adam, and Sally Martin (widow), Oct. 7,

1816. Thos. Peck, B.

Kirby, Jas., and Judah Grigsby, Sept. 21, 1816.

Toliver Grigsby, B.

Langly, Thos., and Mary Wright, June 3, 1816.

Pearce Lamb, B.; Rebecca Doing, M.

Lemar, Richard, and Elizabeth Merrill, Dec. 16,

1816. Andrew Merrill, B.

Linthicum, Joshua, and Lydia Johnston, Dec. 9,

1816. Jas. Runyan, B.

Lurton, John, and Rachel Donovan, Mch. 16, 1816.

Wm. Donovan, B.

Marshall, Wm., and Sarah Lucas, Oct. 23, 1816.

Stanislaus Mudd, B.; Sam. Lucas, F.



- Mayhugh, Michael, and Elizabeth Fleming, Dec. 14, 1816. Wm. Mayhugh, B.; Stephen Fleming, F.
- Mitchell, Aaron, and Elizabeth Bell, Mch. 19, 1816.
- Levi Vancamp, B.; Daniel Bell, F.
- Morris, Wm. V., and Luneri Warder, Dec. 16, 1816. Jas. Runyan, B.; John Warder, F.
- Morey, James, and Salley Washing(ton?), Nov. 21, 1816. Wm. Washing, B.
- Morton, John M., and Lucy B. Morton, Oct. 3, 1816. Dorsey Stockton, B.; Geo. Morton, F.
- Murphy, John, and Eleanor Dawson, Mch. 26, 1816. Abraham Dawson, B.
- Murray, Michael, and Delphia Garrison, Apr. 23, 1816. Jas. Adams, B.
- Myers, George, and Elizabeth Sawyers, Feb. 13, 1816. John Law, B.
- McGhee, Jesse, and Sarah McCrackin, Aug. 31, 1816. John McCrackin, B.
- McNeel, Domic, and Ann Pinckard, Jan. 2, 1816. Anoch Barr, B.
- Osburn, Benj., and Eliza Pinckard, July 8, 1816. Jos. McCarty, B.
- Parker, Samuel, and Ollietha Tilton, June 18, 1816. Richard Tilton, B.
- Perket, Martin, and Mary Bell, Jan. 2, 1816. Wm. Bell, B.
- Porter, John, and Rebecca Johnston, May 4, 1816. Chas. Dobyns, B.
- Power, Joseph, and Cloe Willet, Nov. 8, 1816. Chas. Willet, B.
- Prichard, Harmon, and Nancy Purcell, July 6, 1816. John Gaddard, B.
- Reeves, Stacy, and Sarah Dicks, Oct. 22, 1816. John White, B.; Geo. Dicks, F.
- Reeves, Samuel, and Nancy Whight, June 14, 1816. Geo. Whight, B.; Drucilla Whight, M.
- Reynolds, Isaac, and Hannah Cox, Feb. 6, 1816. Benj. Reynolds, B.
- Richardson, Thos., and Hannah Silvers, Aug. 1, 1816. John Silvers, B.
- Robinson, John, and Nancy Dixon, Dec. 6, 1816. Harmon Hurst, B.
- Ross, Wm. A., and Jane Drake, Mch. 22, 1816. Wm. Hannah, B.
- Senteney, Joab, and Elizabeth Doing, Aug. 3, 1816. Thos. Doing, B.
- Shipley, Rezin, and Faithful Briarly, Nov. 29, 1816. Noah Shipley, B.
- Shipley, Elias, and Sally Clutter, May 18, 1816. Reason Shipley, B.; Henry Clutter, F.; Jonothan Wilson, Minister.
- Scott, Wm., and Mary Thornton, June 26, 1816. Jas. Scott, B.
- Shotwell, Nathan, and Mariah Bland, July 13, 1816. Calvin Moor, B.; Margaret Bland, M.; Wm. Early, W.
- Shultz, Christian, and Charlotte Lee, Feb. 14, 1816. Wm. Lashbrook, B.; H. Lee, F.; Wm. Poyntz, W.
- Stewart, Wm., and Abigail Shotwell, Mch. 9, 1816. Aaron Mitchell, B.; John Shotwell, F.
- Stitt, Samuel, and Ann Clarke, Oct. 5, 1816. Jos. Clarke, B.
- Stott, John (Stitt?-Stout?), and Jane Grant, Sept. 10, 1816. David Grant, B.
- Saunders, Thos., and Charlotte Parker, Sept. 16, 1816. Winslow Parker, B.
- Taylor, Samuel, and Juliet Tennis, Nov. 11, 1816. John Ginn, B.
- Thomas, Evan, and Rebecca Masters, Aug. 19, 1816. Richard Masters, B.
- Thomas, Wm., and Elizabeth Mannen, Feb. 26, 1816. John Mannen, B.
- Thompson, Raphael, and Nancy Owens, Oct. 3, 1816. John Owens, Sr., B.
- Thompson, Jas., and Louisa Key, Aug. 10, 1816. Alex. Key, B.
- Tolle, Jas., and Lovey Tolle, Mch. 18, 1816. Reuben Tolle, B.
- Toule, Wm., and Rosanna Lemar (widow), Dec. 21, 1816. Bernard McLaughlin, B.
- Truslow, Thos., and Margaret Lawrence, Oct. 3, 1816. John Lawrence, B.
- Tucker, Thos., and Matilda Garrison, Mch. 16, 1816. Jas. Adams, B.
- Walker, Wm., and Susannah H. Penick, Aug. 31, 1816. Wm. Penick, B.
- Wallace, John, and Sarah Sidwell, Apr. 3, 1816. Thos. Wallace B.; Thos. Kennan, W.
- Warfield, Nicholas, and Susan Orr, June 6, 1816. Vincent Cleaney, B.
- Wells, John Scott, and Cynthia Wilson, Oct. 22, 1816. (No bond, see old marriage book).
- Whisner, Jacob, and Jemima Smith, Mch. 9, 1816. Sam. Smith, B.; Gideon Smith, F.; Sam Boling, W.
- White, John, and Rebecca Dicks, Sept. 24, 1816. Jesse Youngman, B.; Priscilla White, M.; Geo. Dicks, F.
- Winters, Jacob, and Nancy Ward, Jan. 27, 1816. Geo. B. Morton, B.; John Ward, F.
- Wilkinson, Chas., and Sarah French, May 2, 1816. Chas. Soward, B.; Jas. French, F.
- Wood, Henry, and Myram Reeves, Aug. 20, 1816. Wm. Holton, B.
- Wood, David, and Mary Wells(?), Oct. 22, 1816. Basil Lamb, B.
- Wood, Benj. W., and Scotia Worthington, Feb. 27, 1816. John Payne, B.; Elizabeth Worthington, M.
- Wood, David, and Emma Scudder, Aug. 21, 1816. Athelston Owens, B.; J. A. Scudder, consent.

## 1817

- Adamson, Jos., and Sarah Rudd, May 14, 1817. John Robinson, B.
- Allen, Wm., and Jemima Moore, Jan. 30, 1817. David Moore, B.
- Anderson, John, and Mary Vancamp, 1817. John Vancamp, B.; Garret Vancamp, F.
- Anderson, Wm., and Eleanor Patterson, Dec. 8, 1817. Francis Patterson, B.
- Anderson, Wm., and Catherine Linaly (widow), Apr. 23, 1817. Richard Pickrell, B.
- Arnold, James, and Margaret Strain, Feb. 18, 1817. Jos. Hudnut, B.
- Arthur, Chas., and Margaret Gow, Feb. 18, 1817. Jas. Arthur, B.; Polly Gow, M.; Perthener Gow, W.
- Arthur, Jas., Jr., and Mary Beall, Mch. 17, 1817. Thos. Beall, B.
- Baldwin, Pleasant, and Mary James, Oct. 8, 1817. Beverly James, B.; Thos. James, F.
- Bell, Carter, and Sarah Mefford, June 9, 1817. John Mefford, B.; Malinda Duncan, M. (M. of Sarah).
- Bereman, John, and Phebe Houghton, Oct. 25, 1817. Robt. Vandeventer, B.; Aaron Houghton, F.
- Berry, Arthur, and Lucy Stapp, Oct. 1, 1817. Bunberry Berry, B.; Jas. Stapp, B.

- 26, Berry, Wm., and Nancy Stapp, May 5, 1817. Geo.  
ct. 3, Berry, Jr., B.; Jas. Stapp, F.  
1816, Biddle, John, and Prudence Boyd, Mch. 10, 1817.  
1816, Abel Wiley, B.  
1816, Blizard, James, and Phebe Atchinson, Oct. 17,  
1817. Silas Atchinson, B.  
1816, Botts, John, and Frances Lawrence, Apr. 22, 1817.  
Dec. John Lawrence, B.  
ct. 3, Bowers, Christopher, and Temperance Little, Jan.  
t. 16, 20, 1817. Jacob Freeborn, B.  
g. 31, Boyd, James, and Matilda Watts, July 1, 1817.  
1816, Nathan Shotwell, B.  
t. 22, Bullock, John, and Nancy Morton, Feb. 13, 1817.  
1816, Peyton Key, B.  
Sam, Cambell, John, and Elizabeth Batson, Sept. 6,  
1817. Theophilus Page, B.  
1816, Clark, Daniel, and Ednah Pepper, Mch. 13, 1817.  
Geo. Wm. Pepper, B. & F.  
1816, Clutter, Enas, and Nancy Rumford, Aug. 23, 1817.  
t. 22, Henry Clutter, B.; Elizabeth Rumford, M.  
1816, Connett, Wm. C., and Mathilda Thornberry, Jan.  
2, 1817. Phantley Bean, B.; Elijah Thornberry,  
F.  
1816, Conway, Miles, and Dulceberry Berry, May 23,  
1817. Bunberry Berry, B.  
1816, Cordingley, John, and Mary McCarty, Oct. 2, 1817.  
Geo. Jos. McCarth, B.  
1816, Cracraft, Jos., and Sarah Watson, May 17, 1817.  
1816, Elkens Watson, B.; Wm. Smith, W.  
1816, Crawford, Crozzar, and Lavina Reynolds, Mch. 25,  
1817. Benj. Reynolds, B.  
1816, Crookshanks, Andrew, and Julia Burgess, June 6,  
1817. John Bullock, B.; B. Burgess, F.; Syntha  
Burgess, M.  
1816, Desha, Benja., and Mary Bickley, Feb. 10, 1817.  
t. 27, Wm. Bickley, B.  
thing, Disher, Peter, and Polly Linville, Dec. 30, 1817.  
1816, Thos. Kenton, B.  
ent, Dye, John, and Paranthia Gow, Sept. 17, 1817.  
1816, Jonathan Roff, B.; Mary Gow, M.  
Eubanks, Wm., and Sarah Overfield, May 27, 1817.  
Beverly James, B.; Mary Hannet, M.  
Evans, Williams, and Fanny Bettis, Aug. 27, 1817.  
1817, Enoch Bettis, B.  
1817, Fee, John, and Jane Gordon, Oct. 20, 1817. John  
Gordon, B.; Elizabeth Gordon, M.  
1817, Fleming, Stephen, Jr., and Jane Kerr, Oct. 29,  
Kerr, B.; Stephen Flemong, F.;  
an, W.  
Fields, Ambruse, and Ann Nower, Dec. 13, 1817.  
Alex. Nower, B.  
Freeman, Wm., and Betsey Norce, July 31, 1817.  
John Freeman, B.  
b. 18, Fyffe, Benj., and Matilda Hunt, Aug. 20, 1817.  
1817, Perry Fyffe, B.; Lyda Wall, M.  
thener, Gather (Gaither?), Thos., and Elizabeth Shelton,  
Aug. 18, 1817. Jas. Gillum, B.  
1817, Gordon, Geo., and Elizabeth Marshall, Mch. 20,  
1817. John Marshall, B.  
1817, Griffith, Wm., and Sophia Waller, Jan. 6, 1817.  
Richard Waller, B.  
1817, Hampton, Jas., and Sarah Froman, (widow of  
Solomon), Feb. 28, 1817. Lewis Bridges, B.  
1817, Hickman, Adam, and Rachel Prather, Dec. 22,  
(M. of 1817. Solomon Simpson, B.; Wm. Reed, (gudn.  
for Rachel).  
ct. 25, Hickman, Elias, and Sarah Marshall, Mch. 24,  
Hough, 1817. Veazey Price, B.; Dolly Marshall, M.  
1817, Hickman, Wm., and Mary Tureman, Mch. 18,  
1817. Maurice Langhorn, B.; Wm. Tureman, F.

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## Queries

Queries must be typed double spaced on separate slips of paper and limited to two queries (a) and (b) of not more than sixty words each. Add name and address on same line following last query. Queries conforming to above requirements will be published as soon as space is available.

The purpose of this section of the Genealogical Department is mutual assistance to those seeking information on same or related families.

Correspondence regarding former queries cannot be answered by this department since no information is available prior to June, 1938, after which date all is published. Requests for names and addresses of members "who have joined under service of a Revolutionary soldier" should not be sent to this Department since we do not have access to those records.

**H-46. (a) Broadnax.**—Want dates, ancestry, name of wife of Thomas Broadnax, whose daughter, Martha, married James Shackelford. Martha died in 1835, Gainesville, Georgia.

**(b) Keese.**—Wanted, dates, ancestry of George Washington Keese, born possibly in Hanover County, Virginia, and died in Caldwell County, Texas. His first wife was Helen Clarissa Butler(?). Miss Mary Lee Shackelford, Jefferson, Texas.

**H-46 (a) Saylor.**—Wanted given names and dates of parents of Sallie Saylor (Sahler, Souder) of Chester County, Pennsylvania, who married Jacob Hartman about 1770.

**(b) Lawrence.**—Wanted given names and dates of parents of Sarah Lawrence who married Benjamin Gallop, 1764, who was born in Voluntown, Connecticut, 1739, moved to Dalton, Massachusetts, 1770. Kate Mason Hawes, Route #3, Marietta, Ohio.

**H-46 (a) Taylor-Stoner.**—Edmond (Edmund) Taylor born 1835, Indiana, died 1897 Missouri, married 1857 Rachel Carolyn Stoner, born 1835, Ohio, died 1928, Missouri. Wanted names of their parents and grandparents with dates and proof.

**(b) Owen.**—Lucy Owen, born Halifax County, Virginia, about 1784-1790. Wanted name of her father. Vivian Nation Ackley, Box 301, Yakima, Washington.

**H-46 (a) Lake.**—Desire parents of Elisha Lake and his sister Mary, "Polly" Lake. Elisha Lake was born November 30, 1801 (probably Franklin County, Massachusetts) married Prudence Holmes March 26, 1826, lived at Stamford, Vt., about 1846 moved to Illinois. Mary Lake was born in town of Heath, Franklin County, Massachusetts, November 14, 1803-4 married Lyman Powers at Colerain, Massachusetts, April 6, 1823.

**(b)** Did they have any other brothers or sisters? Believe they had relatives who lived in Ohio. What kin to Gideon Lake (Revolutionary soldier) who was living in Franklin County in 1840? Mrs. Woodson Coffee, 1603 Madison Street, Amarillo, Texas.

**H-46 (a) Duffey-Isgreg.**—Want parents and birthplaces of Thomas Duffey, born December 5, 1793 (where?) died February 18, 1879, Three

Spring, Huntingdon County, Pennsylvania, and wife Comfort Isreg, born January 12, 1803 (where?) died Three Springs, Huntingdon County, Pennsylvania, October 13, 1873. Children: John, Jane married John Booker, Socia, Bell Ramsy, Sallie Mierly, Nancy Robertson, Comfort Irwin, Ellen Dunn, William. Wish Revolutionary record.

**(b) Robertson-Stains.**—Want parents and dates of birth and death of George Robertson and wife Polly Stains. Lived in Maddensville, Pennsylvania. Children: Missouri Mathven, Nannie Madden, John married Margaret Parks, William, Jeremiah, David, George, Rebecca Madden. Jake married Amanda Gaylor, Mary married David Kepfort, Nancy. Wish any Revolutionary record. Mrs. J. T. Smallwood, 1315 4th Avenue, Worthington, Minnesota.

**H-46. Story.**—Wanted information of Samuel Story, Jr. and Sr. The son was supposed to have been born in 1660, Ipswich, Massachusetts. One Samuel had a son named Solomon, who was born Ipswich, 1695-6. One record gives him, the son of Samuel Sr. while others give as the son of Samuel Jr. This family moved to Preston or Norwich, Connecticut. Ann Story Breckenridge, 71 Carlisle Drive, Miami Springs, Florida.

**H-46. (a) Galloway.**—Information regarding John Galloway and wife, who gave permission for daughter, Anny to marry Bailey Harbert, April 26, 1809 in Mercer County, Ky.

**(b) Harbord (Harbert).** Information regarding John Harbord and wife, Mary Harbord. He died Mercer County, Ky. 1809. Children, Agness, Matthew, Susannah, William, Patsy, Mary Baley, Joseph Bailey, Hezekiah Mosby. —Mrs. Ivan Stubblefield, 200 West Ash, Normal, Illinois.

**H-46. (a) Parker-McCarty.**—Want data of Solomon Parker and Elizabeth McCartney who married and were living in Rush Co. Indiana in 1824. They had daughter, Sarah, born 11-4-1824 Rush Co. Indiana. She married John Nelson Hall in Menard Co., Ill. in 1842. Died Athens, Ill. 1890. Children of Solomon Parker and Elizabeth McCartney: Peter, Samuel, Elizabeth, Margaret, Berry, Sarah.

**(b) Hall.**—Want data about John Hall who died in Bedford County, Virginia, 1794. Named wife Magdalene? in Will. What was her maiden name? Was William Hall of Lunenburg Co., Va. John's father or brother? John's children were: Mathew, William, Elisha, Jesse, Hezekiah, John, Tabitha, Keziah. Mrs. Ruby McCormick, 2016 Gorman Ave., Waco, Texas.

**H-46 (a) West Indie Company.**—My ancestor, Captain of a ship, partner in this company, sailed soon after Am. Rev. War, to the West Indies to manage the business there. Returned to the United States about 1800. Where may I find data West Indie Company?

**(b) Mead-Allen** born 1793 Saratoga Co., New York. Soldier 1812 in command of Gen. Van Rensselaer. At battle of Queenstown, Regt. attached to forces under Lt. Winfield Scott. m. Sally SCARLETT, b. 1797 Addison Co. Vermont. Removed 1815 to Ohio. Had: Alfred, Meril, Potter, Ephraim, Sophronia, Allen, Sarah, Samantha, and two others, born Ohio. Data parents, Eva Mead Firestone, Upton, Wyoming.

**H-46. (a) Hopkins.**—Wanted the names of the parents of Polly Hopkins who married John Patton on August 29, 1786, in Rockingham County

Virginia. The Pattons moved to Kentucky in 1793 but I think the Hopkins family had moved there prior to this wedding. This John Patton was the son of Matthew Patton and Hester Dyer of Augusta Co. Virginia.

**(b) Capeheart.**—Would like the names of the wife and children of John Capeheart, born 1727, and son of George Capeheart, original immigrant to Albermarle County, Chowan District, North Carolina in 1708. He was a Revolutionary soldier and I think his children took up his Rev. land grants in Georgia. Mrs. Beekman Lee Youngblood, Minter, Alabama.

**H-46. (a) Robinson-Bentley.**—Want parents and origins of Joshua Robinson born 1779, and wife Anne Bentley, born 1780; married 1803 (where?) Daughters: Elizabeth born Va. 1805, Mary, Hannah, Sally. Family in Grayson Co., Va. 1809. Joshua in 20th Va. Militia, 1813. Family to Leesburg, Highland Co., Ohio 1814. Ann died 1823. Joshua married Esther Antrim 1825. Elizabeth married Azel Walker, Wilmington, Ohio.

**(b) Stockdale.**—Want parents of William Stockdale who married before 1809, Uniontown, Pa., Elizabeth Gaddis, daughter John and Sarah Gaddis. William and Elizabeth went to Wilmington, O. about 1811. William died in Washington Courthouse, O., 1836. Was William son of Thomas Stockdale who married second Amy Allen in Washington Co., Pa.? Who was Thomas' first wife who died 1781, Montgomery Co., Pa.? Malcolm Dill, 1307 Suncrest Dr., Cincinnati 8, Ohio.

**H-46. McMillan.**—Wanted ancestry of Archidald McMillan, born—died in Robeson County, N. C. 1824. His will named Alex., John, Dougald, Neill, Daniel, Mary, Catharine, Nancy, and wife Mary—Service in Revolution and surname of his wife desired. Mrs. Furman K. Biggs, 1505 Elm St. Lumberton, N. C.

**H-46. (a) Parks-Foster.**—Joel Parks (1761-1850) and Chloe Foster (1764-1832) of Stillwater and Scipio, N. Y. and Port Dover, Ontario, Canada, had 8 children. Who did Leonora (b. 10-14-1788); Nancy (b. 12-1-1792); and Loremy (b. 1-25-1795) marry? Joel's Rev. records given to these daughters. Want proof of service, Joel's parents and residence before Revolution.

**(b) McDowell-Marshall.**—Want proof of the marriage of Sarah, daughter of Timothy McDowell and Amy Marshall of Ledyard, N. Y., and granddaughter of Daniel McDowell, (1757-1852) Rev. soldier. Was she the Sally who married, C 1820, Elisha Parks, Scipio, N. Y., son of Joel, or was there another Sally niece of Daniel? Mrs. F. I. Vandercook, 439 Taylor Ave., Glen Ellyn, Ill.

**H-46. (a) Walker.**—Want parentage and ancestry of Joel Walker, Franklin County, N. C., and Warren County, Georgia, (1756-1800) and his wife; married 1780, Holly Berry Persons, (1765-1846), said to be daughter of Josiah and Rachel ( ) Persons, of Va., and N. C.

**(b) Brown.**—Want parentage and ancestry of Jesse Brown, Lunenburg County, Virginia, who married, 1795, Mason Hardaway, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Trotter) Hardaway, Dinwiddie County, Virginia. Were his parents of Charlotte County, Virginia, after it was formed from old Lunenburg where family had lived? Did he return to Lunenburg County, to old family lands? Miss Christine Davidson Brown, Sharon, Georgia.

MINUTES  
NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT  
REGULAR MEETING

May 18, 1946

THE regular meeting of the National Board of Management was called to order by the President General, Mrs. Julius Young Talmadge, in the West Solarium of the Marlborough-Blenheim Hotel, Atlantic City, New Jersey, at 9:30 a. m., on Saturday, May 18, 1946.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Willard Steele, read scripture and offered prayer.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was given.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Stanley Thorpe Manlove, called the roll, the following members being recorded as present: *National Officers:* Mrs. Talmadge, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Throckmorton, Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Hinkle, Mrs. Gillaspie, Mrs. Arnest, Miss Welch, Mrs. Cutting, Miss McMackin, Mrs. Lammers, Mrs. Heavenrich, Mrs. Silversteen, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Creyke, Mrs. Lambeth, Mrs. Berger, Mrs. Steele, Mrs. Manlove, Miss Matthies, Mrs. Goodfellow, Mrs. Haig, Mrs. O'Byrne, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Oberholser, Mrs. Horsfall. *State Regents:* Mrs. Napier, Mrs. Haynes, Mrs. Lambert, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Iffland, Mrs. Farmer, Mrs. Bowker, Mrs. Frierson, Mrs. Warthen, Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Grimes, Mrs. Carlock, Mrs. Shrewder, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Seymour, Mrs. Hussey, Mrs. Viethier, Mrs. McQuesten, Miss Cook, Miss Burwell, Mrs. Welch, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Graybill, Mrs. Bald, Mrs. Storrs, Mrs. Randolph, Mrs. Graham, Miss Gibson, Mrs. Wilkes, Mrs. Sartell, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Clinton, Mrs. Lowry, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Gorham, Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Ingram, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Tynes, Mrs. Deutsch, Mrs. Sisler, Mrs. Koch. *State Vice Regent:* Mrs. Stoddard.

The First Vice President General, Mrs. John Logan Marshall, took the chair, and the President General, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, read her report.

**Report of President General**

Because of the change of dates of our Congress to meet postwar conditions, it is now five weeks later than usual that we meet, and consequently it seems a long time since I looked into your faces at the February Board meeting.

Through the pages of the magazine, giving official action at the February Board, you all know now of the appointment of the Society's new parliamentarian, Mrs. Hampton Fleming, who succeeds Mrs. John Trigg Moss, recently deceased. The record of Mrs. Moss' passing was written into my last report. We continue to grieve for the loss of a good friend and valued worker. Let us warmly welcome Mrs. Fleming to this post of responsibility and trust.

To begin chronologically, mine was the happy privilege of accepting several delightful social and

chapter invitations in Washington before starting on a trip to the state conferences. A beautiful tea was given by Mrs. William Disque, of Washington, and a dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Steele, and guest of honor at an exquisitely appointed luncheon given by Mrs. Cabell Kinney at the Colonial Dames Club in Washington, brought happiness before my departure.

Likewise pleasant contacts were derived from visits to District of Columbia chapter functions arranged by the Frances Scott Chapter; Capt. Molly Pitcher Chapter; Dorothy Hancock Chapter; Marcia Burns Chapter and Susan Riviere Hetzel Chapter.

On February 10th, the sad message reached me of the passing of our Honorary President General, Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, of Cooksburg, Penna. Hers was a life redound with deeds well done for the Society which she loved, and among the many monuments to her effort stands Constitution Hall for which she worked so valiantly. We shall ever remember her as an outstanding leader, and a friend. Our Society mourns her loss, and we pause in tribute.

On February 15th, I left Washington for an official visit to state conferences, visiting Tulsa, Okla.; Little Rock, Ark.; Jackson, enroute to Meridian, Miss.; Montgomery, Ala.; Anderson, S. C.; Atlanta, Ga.; Knoxville, Tenn.; Nacogdoches, Tex.; Cincinnati, Ohio; Louisville, Ky.; Chicago, Ill.; Milwaukee, Wisc.; St. Paul, Minn.; Fargo, North Dakota; Sioux Falls, South Dakota; Grand Rapids, Mich., and Palm Beach, Fla.

To tell you more in detail of my actual "journeyings," I was met at the train in Tulsa, Okla., my first visit on the trip, by Mrs. Luther Eugene Tomm, former State Regent and Librarian General. She was accompanied by her husband, and after a delightful drive we had dinner in the home of the State Regent, Mrs. Lee Clinton, and her husband, at which many past state and national officers were present. She entertained in "pre-war" style and it was greatly enjoyed. That evening Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Russell Patterson entertained with a beautifully appointed dinner at the Clubhouse, where a wonderful view of Tulsa by night was enjoyed from the roof garden. After this, a delightful hour was spent in the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Patterson.

Monday morning, February 19, it was my pleasure to have breakfast with Mrs. Clyde Thompson, Chairman of Arrangements, and lunch at noon with Mrs. George Watson Davis, Hostess Regent. It was gratifying to find in Tulsa, Mrs. Edwin Stanton Lammers, Vice President General for Texas, and Mrs. Willard Steele, Chaplain General. A lovely tea was given at Philbrook "the beautiful," Mrs. Allmond M. Blow, Chairman. The State Officers Club dinner, Mrs. Nathan Russell Patterson, President, was greatly enjoyed that evening, after which I had the privilege of addressing the conference.

The next day, Mrs. Lammers and I were driven to Claremore by Capt. George Davis (son of Mrs. George Watson Davis, Hostess Regent) and his wife, where we entrained for Little Rock to attend the Arkansas Conference.

We were met in Little Rock by the State Regent, Mrs. Charles A. Haynes, Mrs. Martin L. Sigmon, past State Regent and Vice President General, and her daughter. The next morning we toured the historic Restoration Building. A delightful tea was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. E. M. Archer in the afternoon, and that evening a beautifully appointed dinner was given in the Sky Way Room, where I made an address to the conference. It was a pleasure to meet there Mrs. Willard Steele, Mrs. Davis M. Biggs, and many past state and national officers of Arkansas.

Thursday morning we had a delightful hour at breakfast with Mrs. Biggs, as hostess. Those present were the officers who had served with her when she was state regent.

Leaving Little Rock that afternoon, Mrs. Steele and I changed trains in Memphis, Tenn., where she entertained the chapter regents at dinner at the Gayosa Hotel, after which I left for Jackson, Mississippi, enroute to Meridian for the Mississippi Conference. In Jackson, I had breakfast with friends at the Robert E. Lee Hotel, and later drove to Meridian with Mrs. J. L. Bailey, wife of the Governor, and other friends.

A most cordial welcome was extended by the State Regent, Mrs. Walter Scott Welch, and the Meridian chapters. At noon, Mrs. E. C. Brewer entertained with a beautifully appointed luncheon in my honor. It was my great pleasure to have breakfast the next day with the Junior D. A. R. Assembly, Mrs. H. A. Alexander, National Chairman. A unique entertainment depicting the history of historic Rosalie was genuinely enjoyed. That afternoon, I motored to Laurel with Mrs. Welch, and it was delightful to spend the weekend with her in her hospitable home there. I was the honor guest at a beautiful reception given on Sunday afternoon by the chapter in the palatial home of Mrs. W. H. Mason. Mrs. Robert William Seymour, State Regent of Louisiana, was also a guest.

Early Monday morning, Mrs. Welch and I were driven to Montgomery, Alabama, by her daughter, arriving at noon. We were welcomed by Mrs. T. H. Napier, State Regent, and enjoyed the Officers Club banquet that evening, with Mrs. Helen M. Gaines, President. At the Alabama State Conference, it was a pleasure to meet Mrs. John Logan Marshall, First Vice President General, Mrs. Willard Steele, Chaplain General, Mrs. Edwin Stanton Lammers, Vice President General, Mrs. VanCourt Carwithen, Chairman of Approved Schools, and many past state and national officers of Alabama. The weekend was spent in my home in Athens, and on Monday I drove to Anderson, South Carolina, where I was the house guest of Mrs. Marshall Pinckney Orr, State Regent, during the South Carolina Conference. The delightful State Officers Club luncheon was held at the home of Mrs. Paul Earle, at Starr, S. C. That evening I had the privilege of addressing the conference, and a lovely dinner and reception followed at the Calhoun Hotel.

The Georgia State Conference was held in Atlanta, where I arrived March 5th, and was honor

guest at the State Officers Club luncheon, Mrs. Mell Knox, President. That evening, I again had the pleasure of addressing the well attended conference and greeting many friends at this "home coming" meeting, presided over by Georgia's representative State Regent, Mrs. Ober D. Warthen.

I arrived in Knoxville, Tennessee, on March 7th, and was met at the train by Mrs. Albert L. Craig, State Regent, and Mrs. Guy L. Darst and Mrs. L. R. Smith, Chairmen of Transportation and Arrangements. Mrs. Willard Steele, Chaplain General, Mrs. William Hardie Lambeth, Vice President General, Mrs. Stanley Thorpe Manlove, Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Benjamin R. Williams, State Regent of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Edwin Stanton Lammers, Vice President General, Mrs. VanCourt Carwithen, Chairman of Approved Schools, and Mrs. John Logan Marshall, First Vice President General, were present, which added to my pleasure. A lovely reception was given that afternoon by the United Daughters of the Confederacy, and a dinner with beautiful appointments at the Andrew Johnson Hotel, where I addressed the conference on Thursday evening.

The morning of March 8th, I had the pleasure of attending the Junior American Citizens breakfast given in honor of the National Chairman, Mrs. Lammers, and the Approved Schools luncheon at noon, honoring the National Chairman, Mrs. Carwithen.

The next day I arrived in Memphis, with Mrs. Lammers, where we were joined in the evening by Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. Carwithen, all of us enroute to Texas. We arrived in Jacksonville, on March 10, and were driven to Nacogdoches, by Miss Elsie Wills and Mrs. James T. Rountree. A lovely luncheon was given at the Liberty Hotel by Mrs. Frederick B. Ingram, State Regent. Many state and ex-national officers were present, also Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Lammers, Mrs. Nathan Russell Patterson, National Chairman of Conservation, Mrs. Lee Clinton, State Regent of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Charles A. Haynes, State Regent of Arkansas. A National Defense Meeting and Memorial Services were held that afternoon and the "Old Documents and Papers Room" was dedicated at Austin State Teachers College.

That evening, the State Officers Club dinner was greatly enjoyed. A lovely reception followed, the hostesses being ex-national officers and honorary state regents. The next morning, I had the pleasure of attending a breakfast with chapter regents and state chairmen. Mrs. Marshall and I then drove to Jacksonville, to enroute for Ohio.

I arrived in Cincinnati, on March 13, and had luncheon with Mrs. James B. Patton, State Regent, in her suite. A reception was held in the afternoon and it was a pleasure to again greet Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart, Honorary President General, Mrs. John S. Heaume, past Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Asa Messenger and Mrs. James M. Donahue, ex-State Regents of Ohio, Mrs. Willard Steele, Chaplain General, Mrs. Roscoe C. O'Byrne, Registrar General, Miss Helen McMacKin, Vice President General, Miss Laura Cook, State Regent of Michigan, Mrs. J. Harold Grimes, State Regent of Indiana, and Mrs. Benjamin R. Williams, State Regent of Pennsylvania. My address to the state conference was given that evening at the Gibson Hotel.



The next morning I arrived in Louisville, Kentucky, and was met by Mrs. W. D. Carrithers, ex-State Vice Regent, and my Page, Mrs. Basil Hall, and was cordially welcomed by the State Regent, Mrs. Hugh L. Russell. A highlight of this visit was in witnessing the burning of the mortgage on Duncan Tavern. It was a pleasure to greet Mrs. Frederick Alfred Wallis, former Historian General; Mrs. G. Bright Hawes, ex-State Regent and National Chairman of Membership; Mrs. Robert Keene Arnold, Honorary State Regent and past Vice President General. It was an honor to become a member of the "Thousand Club," organized for the upkeep of Duncan Tavern. While in Louisville, a banquet was given in my honor, when a lovely pageant was staged, depicting the history of the Kentucky Society. This pageant was written by Mrs. Calder D. Ehrmann, and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. After dinner, I had the honor of addressing the state conference.

In Chicago, on March 18 at 4:00 P. M., it was an outstanding and wonderful experience and a great privilege to dedicate the "Program Distribution System" at Vaughn General Hospital, at Hines, Ill., your gift from the D. A. R. War Projects Fund for rehabilitation. This event was thrilling and inspirational. A military escort conveyed us to the hospital where we were met by Gen. P. J. Carroll, superintendent, who acted as official representative of the Surgeon General of the Army, Major Gen. Norman T. Kirk. Gen. Carroll conducted us through the hospital, together with nearly 200 Illinois delegates, Mrs. J. DeForest Richards, State Regent, and many national officers and other state regents. We were escorted from ward to ward and then to the beautiful chapel where the presentation dedication was made. It was an occasion long to be remembered. The Radio Program System was installed that day, and to see the men in the hospital beds eagerly "tuning in" on various programs was an inspiration, the memory of which will never grow dim. It was a proud moment to realize that this gift costing \$61,000 was available through your voluntary contributions.

The State Officers Club dinner was given that evening at the Drake Hotel. This was a lovely occasion. The next morning, it was my pleasure to have breakfast with the Daughters of Colonial Wars at the hotel, Mrs. Charles R. Curtiss, hostess. The conference opened at 10:30 A. M. to which I brought greetings. At the afternoon meeting, I had the honor of addressing the members of the conference. The Illinois State banquet was held that evening in the Gold Room, when a delightful program was enjoyed.

The following morning at 9:00 A. M. the drawing for the winner in the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Contest took place. There were 47 Pilgrims present and the interest shown in this particular committee is greater than ever before and an inspiration to all states. After a delicious luncheon at the Drake, I left for Milwaukee, Wisconsin, where I arrived at 4:00 P. M.

There I was met at the train by Mrs. George Baxter Averill and Mrs. Kenneth Grubb, and driven to the Pfister Hotel, the conference headquarters. I was welcomed there by the State Regent, Mrs. Vincent W. Koch. A dinner was given that evening, with reception following, and it was my privilege to again address another in-

teresting conference, Mrs. Haig, Treasurer General, was also present. The next day, after luncheon at the Milwaukee Athletic Club, I was escorted to the train by Mrs. Averill, Mrs. Grubb, and Miss Elizabeth Mitchell, Regent of Santa Monica Chapter, California, who was a visitor at the Wisconsin Conference.

On Friday, March 22, I reached St. Paul, Minn., where it was my pleasure to have breakfast with Miss Louise Burwell, State Regent, and Miss Nellie Sloan, past State Regent, where we occupied the Pent House at the Lowry Hotel. My conference address was given at the beautifully appointed dinner that evening. On Saturday morning, I attended a breakfast party given by the Sibley House Corporation. A radio broadcast was made at noon during the luncheon, and in the afternoon a reception at the Art Museum by Miss Burwell's chapter, where a clever pageant was staged, depicting the organization of her chapter. In St. Paul, there were 40 Good Citizenship Pilgrims present and their enthusiasm for D. A. R. activities was inspirational. A delightful dinner party was enjoyed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bennison.

Leaving St. Paul on the morning of the 24th, I arrived in Fargo, N. D., in the early afternoon and was welcomed warmly by the State Regent, Mrs. George Sartell and Mrs. George Young, past State Regent and past Vice President General. The conference opened Sunday evening at the Gardener Hotel, where I addressed the members, following an elaborate dinner. Later I attended the Counsel, presided over by Mrs. Sartell. On Monday evening Mrs. George Young entertained at a most elaborate dinner in my honor, following which, I had the pleasure of addressing the "Moorhead War Dads" in Fargo. Every courtesy was extended by Mrs. Sartell and the North Dakota Daughters and I shall ever cherish the memory of my happy visit with them.

Part of the journey from Fargo, N. D., to Sioux Falls, South Dakota, was made by plane. I was met at the airport in Sioux Falls, on Tuesday, March 26, by Mrs. John H. Cumbow and Mr. and Mrs. Waterbury. The interesting State Conference, presided over so ably by the State Regent, Mrs. John A. Wilson, opened on that day at the Carpenter Hotel, where I made an address. A lovely party was given that evening by Mrs. Cumbow.

My next stop was in Grand Rapids, for the Michigan State Conference, which opened at the Plantland Hotel on March 28, and where I was privileged to make an address in the evening. On Saturday, a Good Citizenship Pilgrimage luncheon was held and more than 200 Pilgrims were present. From that luncheon we hurried to the "Holland" luncheon, which was given in honor of the delegates and friends. A delightful skit was enjoyed, the Leading Lady being Miss Laura Cook. Miss Cook entertained at dinner that evening at the beautiful Country Club, prior to my departure for Florida.

The last conference was Florida's and I arrived in Palm Beach on March 31, and was met at the train by Mrs. Arthur Rowbotham and Mrs. L. P. Bulta. The conference opened on Monday, April 1, at the Whitehall Hotel, where I made my address. This conference, too, was inspirational, and ably presided over by Mrs. Roy Frierson, State

Regent. A tea was given by the United Daughters of the Confederacy of Florida, and a dinner by the Daughters of the Founders and Patriots of America on April 1st. The stay in the elegant surroundings of the Whitehall Hotel will long be remembered.

The states visited are typical of others in that they are not only stressing their own individual state programs—of which they will tell you in their reports to Congress—but are responding to the post-war work of the National Society. Many are one hundred percent in their contributions to the Building Fund at Tamasee, trying to raise the money to lay the cornerstone of the Auditorium-Gymnasium before 1947; and displaying great interest in the building of the Memorial Bell Tower at Valley Forge. Membership is on the increase in every state visited and much interest is shown in legislation and domestic affairs.

Sad news reached me en route when I learned that another great soul departed this life on March 18th, our own beloved member and that great humanitarian, Mabel Boardman. Her life was full and rich and we mourn her loss.

I have accepted the President's invitation to become a member of the National Famine Emergency Council. May I bespeak your individual cooperation in the program for food conservation, thus furthering world food supply. The National Chairman of Conservation will set forth an outline later whereby we can plan more cooperatively.

It was an honor to place the Society's wreath at the Lincoln Memorial on February 12th, with Mrs. Roy C. Bowker, State Regent of the District of Columbia. The wreath at the Thomas Jefferson Memorial was placed by Mrs. Geoffrey Creyke, Vice President General, representing the President General.

On April 19th, I followed the Society's usual rites of Continental Congress (when normally held in Washington) by paying tribute to the Founders of the Society by laying a wreath on the Founders' Memorial; to George and Martha Washington by placing a wreath at the sarcophagi at Mt. Vernon, and the same tribute to America's Unknown Soldier in Arlington Cemetery. I was accompanied by Mrs. Roy C. Bowker, who headed a special committee of District of Columbia state officers and many District daughters, who accompanied the committee and took part in the ceremony.

So closes our fiscal year, which seems to have drawn us closer into one large family. I grieve to think that so many of you faithful, loyal members will retire from this Board after today. I assure each and every one of you that you will be constantly missed, and though others will fill the vacancies your retirements cause, none can ever take your places. You have filled a niche that will always be your own in the annals of our Society as well as in my heart.

MAY ERWIN TALMADGE,  
*President General,*  
N. S. D. A. R.

The President General resumed the chair. The First Vice President General, Mrs. John Logan Marshall, stated that her report was identical with the one which she would read at Congress, and it would therefore be printed in the Congress Proceedings.

The Second Vice President General, Mrs. C. Edward Murray, filed her report.

#### Report of Second Vice President General

Your Second Vice President General has attended all Executive and National Board meetings, and thirty chapter meetings in New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania, during the year. I regret that it was impossible for me to accept all the many kind invitations and courtesies extended to me.

It has been a distinctive honor to represent the National Society as Second Vice President General on many occasions, and the pleasant association will long be remembered.

I had the pleasure of attending the Indiana State Conference in February, and our New Jersey State Conference, in the Assembly Chamber at the State House.

Madam President General, I am grateful for your inspiration and leadership. It is a pleasure to serve as a member of your Cabinet.

JENNIE SCUDDER MURRAY,  
*Second Vice President General,*  
N. S. D. A. R.

The Third Vice President General, Mrs. T. B. Throckmorton, read her report.

#### Report of Third Vice President General

If I knew you, and you knew me

And both of us could quickly see

And with some innersight, divine

The meaning of your heart and mine

I'm sure that we would differ less

And clasp our hands in friendliness

I'm sure we'd pleasantly agree

If I knew you and you knew me.

And so, after four consecutive years as a member of the National Board I am beginning to feel that "I know you and you know me," and that we do pleasantly agree.

Every section of our great country is represented here in this room today. You are the finest in womanhood your state has to offer or you would not be here. What a rare privilege it is to be associated with one another in the official family circle that is the D. A. R. National Board.

As Third Vice President General my chief duty is that of chairman of the Auditing Committee which report I will submit to you later.

It was my privilege to attend the Nebraska State Conference and also the Golden Anniversary State Conference of the Illinois Daughters. I also attended the dedication of the \$60,000 Radio Wired Program Distribution System installed by our National Society as a gift to the Vaughn General Hospital located at Hines, Illinois.

I stand ready at all times to assist the President General, although these duties are not arduous.

I represent the National Society in my state and community in many ways, including much activity on the State Speakers Bureau. And now may I close this report with a friendly hand-clasp for all present and a wish that the friendships formed here on this Board may indeed flourish with the years.

EDNA DUDLEY THROCKMORTON,  
*Third Vice President General,*  
N. S. D. A. R.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Willard Steele, read her report.

### Report of Chaplain General

Since the February Board meeting your Chaplain General has been quite busy. Besides answering many letters she has contacted the State Chaplains and compiled her reports.

She has been very gratified by the splendid reports sent in by many states and the increased interest in the religious program suggested.

Plans have been made for the Memorial Service for Continental Congress. It was her pleasure and privilege to attend the State Conferences of Oklahoma, Arkansas, Alabama, Tennessee, Ohio and Kentucky and she appreciates all the many courtesies extended her by these states and the opportunity given her to talk about the religious program and the problem of Juvenile Delinquency.

She was a guest of the Commodore Perry Chapter in Memphis on Washington's Birthday and has spoken at chapter meetings. It has been a pleasure to represent the D.A.R. Society at meetings of other patriotic societies and bring greetings. She wishes to thank the State Regents and State Chaplains for their interest and cooperation during the past two years and hopes this third and last year will bring results that will prove the value of our efforts to promote Christian Americanism.

KATE HINDS STEELE,  
*Chaplain General,*  
N. S. D. A. R.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Stanley Thorpe Manlove, read her report.

### Report of Recording Secretary General

Since the February Board meeting the following work has been done in my office:

The minutes of the February Board meeting were prepared for publication in the *National Historical Magazine*, and proofread. The verbatim transcript was indexed and bound for filing. Motions were typed and delivered to each national officer; copied for the Statute Book and indexed.

The minutes of the Executive Committee meeting were written, copied and sent to members of the committee; copied again for binding in book form for permanent record, and indexed. Rulings were typed and delivered to offices affected.

In March, a letter requesting advance copies of reports to Congress was mailed to National Officers, State Regents and Committee Chairmen. The response was gratifying and I wish to thank all for their cooperation and interest in sending reports promptly.

The proposed amendments to the By-Laws were prepared by my office and delivered to the Corresponding Secretary General's office for distribution.

Since the February Board meeting 1,476 membership certificates have been mailed to members.

All correspondence and requests for information have been given prompt consideration, and the current work of the office is up to date.

Immediately following the February Board meeting, it was a pleasure to go to Florida for a few days, and to meet there the members of Echebucassas Chapter, of Plant City; Ocklawaha

Chapter, of Tangerine; and Princess Hirihiagua Chapter, of St. Petersburg; as well as others of our members who were visitors in that land of sunshine.

The North Carolina State Conference was an inspiration when visited on March 5-7; as was the Tennessee State Conference which was held on March 8-9. On March 12, it was a privilege to speak at the Nebraska State Conference. The pleasure of being guest speaker at the Iowa Conference on March 14th, to be allowed the honor of presenting the \$100 War Bond to the winning State Pilgrim, and to be made an Honorary member of the Iowa Past Officers' Club made the visit to the midwest a memorable one.

On March 18, it was a great privilege to be present at the dedication of the wired distribution system at Vaughn Hospital. How I wish you might all have been there to have talked with the boys and learned how much pleasure this system will give them through the long weary days of convalescence. The Illinois State Conference on March 19th was much enjoyed. How much one gains from visiting State Conferences! The enthusiasm for our work, the splendid reports, and the gracious hospitality enjoyed, all bring us closer together.

It was a pleasure to meet with Donegal Chapter, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, on April 3rd and to bring a message to its members. This was followed by a trip to Wheatland, the former home of Pennsylvania's President, James Buchanan. On April 10th it was an inspiration to attend a dinner meeting of the New York State juniors and to listen to the reports of their splendid work.

On April 17th it was an honor to be reelected for the second time President of the Board of Washington's Headquarters in Newburgh, the only woman ever to hold this office.

On April 24th it was with the feeling of a proud mother that the Recording Secretary General attended a meeting of the War Work Committee of Greater New York. At this time a citation was presented by the Navy to the D.A.R. for their work at the Hotel Roosevelt during the war years. As the work was started during her term as State Regent of New York, she had a justifiable feeling of pride in the recognition of our work by the Navy. Sixty-three members of this committee received personal certificates from Captain Scarritt Adams for over 750 hours of individual service. The total number of volunteer hours of this group, under the leadership of Mrs. Harry D. McKeige, totaled more than 73,000 hours.

A meeting on May 4th at historic Phillips Manor Hall in Yonkers, with the members of the American Scenic and Historical Preservation Society, brought many new ideas for further conservation of our beautiful Hudson River. The last duty for the period covered by this report was acting as hostess on May 13th to the wives of the editors of New York State newspapers at Washington's Headquarters in Newburgh.

Two years as Recording Secretary General have sped swiftly by, with its many duties and privileges. They have been busy and happy years of service to our beloved Society. The thanks of the office go to all those who have made our work easier by promptly responding to requests for reports to be printed in the Proceedings. My own personal thanks to Mrs. Berry and Miss Thornton,

those capable assistants in the office, and to the President General for her help and inspiration.

MARJORIE R. MANLOVE,  
Recording Secretary General,  
N. S. D. A. R.

The Corresponding Secretary General, Miss Katharine Matthies, filed her report.

#### Report of Corresponding Secretary General

Soon after the February National Board of Management meeting it was my sad duty to send notices of the death of Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, Honorary President General, to the members of the Cabinet.

There was an increase in the amount of mail sent to my home as I wrote 158 letters in answer to inquiries, the majority being requests for information on how to become a member of our organization. In all, 13,471 application blanks were mailed, more than twice the number reported in February. Of course, that covers a longer period of time.

The revised edition of the Manual became available in March and has already been widely distributed. Orders for Manuals were filled to the number of 77,891; 1,111 letters were received and 1,007 cards and letters were written.

Two thousand six hundred and fifteen copies of the Proposed Amendments to the By-Laws were mailed to members of the National Board of Management, Honorary Presidents General, Honorary Vice Presidents General and Chapter Regents.

The following supplies have been sent from my office since the February Board meeting:

Application Blanks .....	13,471
Information Leaflets .....	1,063
Constitution and By-Laws .....	244
Transfer Cards .....	702
What the Daughters Do Pamphlets .....	5,433
Applicant's Working Sheets .....	7,129
Ancestral Charts .....	6,662
Miscellaneous .....	123

Total of pieces ..... 34,827

KATHARINE MATTHIES,  
Corresponding Secretary General,  
N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Vietheer moved that a letter be sent to Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., Honorary President General, expressing our regret that she cannot attend the Congress and sending her our love and good wishes. Seconded by Mrs. Koch. Carried.

The Treasurer General, Mrs. Charles Carroll Haig, read her report.

#### Report of Treasurer General

I herewith submit the following report of receipts and disbursements from January 1, 1946 to February 28, 1946.

##### CURRENT FUND

Balance at last report December 31, 1945..... \$196,495.80

##### RECEIPTS

Annual dues .....	\$79,583.00
Initiation fees .....	7,600.00
Reinstatement fees .....	425.00
Supplemental fees .....	1,005.00
Application blanks .....	440.08
Awards .....	18.56
Brochures .....	1.00
Catalogues .....	6.10
Certificate folders .....	2.00
Charters .....	10.00
D. A. R. handbooks .....	184.01
D. A. R. reports .....	8.05
Dispensers .....	2.30
Duplicate papers .....	222.26
Exchange .....	1.05
Flags .....	.70
Flag booklets .....	5.20
Flag codes .....	154.42
Genealogical charts .....	10.30
Glossies .....	1.20
Historical papers .....	57.56
Interest-Current Fund .....	62.50
Lantern slides .....	47.04
Lineage .....	465.84
Index #1 .....	15.00
Index #2 .....	20.00
Index #3 .....	25.00
Index #4 .....	30.15
Magazines:	
Subscriptions .....	\$4,744.55
Advertisements .....	877.93
Single copies .....	24.02
Board Minutes .....	2,500.00
	8,146.50

Pilgrim posters.....	\$	1.00	
Proceedings.....		17.50	
Regent's lists.....		20.00	
Ribbons.....		2.88	
Rituals.....		37.00	
Sale of waste.....		43.32	
Songs.....		1.00	
Stationery.....		2.58	
Telephone and telegrams.....		7.89	
Commissions:			
Insignia.....		84.00	
Contributions:			
C. A. R. Room.....		100.00	
Library.....		70.50	
Constitution Hall Events.....		16,376.75	
Building expense—American Red Cross.....		1,086.42	
Building expense—Pan American Union.....		12.00	
Employees' withholding tax.....		2,967.59	
What the Daughters Do.....		35.84	
Library (fees).....		21.75	
Bad checks collected.....		56.50	
Life Membership Interest.....		171.25	
Accounts Receivable:			
Returned checks.....		48.00	
Financial service.....		1,191.23	
Rent Flags.....		5.00	
		120,909.82	
Transferred from Press Relations.....	\$	83.90	
Transferred from Reserve.....		150.00	
Transferred from Ellis Island.....		79.55	313.45
Total Receipts.....			\$121,223.27
			\$317,719.07

## DISBURSEMENTS

Refunds:			
Annual dues.....	\$705.00		
Initiation fees.....	75.00		
Supplemental fees.....	9.00	\$789.00	
President General:			
Clerical services.....	1,227.50		
Official expense.....	1,000.00		
Postage.....	60.00		
Supplies.....	116.77		
Express.....	.52		
Repair typewriter.....	1.25		
Telephone and telegrams.....	87.66	2,493.70	
Chaplain General:			
Postage.....		1.44	
Recording Secretary General:			
Clerical services.....	710.00		
Reporting.....	116.60		
Supplies.....	18.53		
Express.....	.36		
Repair typewriter.....	1.25		
Commissions.....	42.00	888.74	
Certificates:			
Postage.....		95.00	
Corresponding Secretary General:			
Clerical services.....	560.00		
Postage.....	100.00		
Supplies.....	94.25	754.25	



<b>Organizing Secretary General:</b>		
Clerical services.....	680.00	
Postage.....	5.00	685.00
<b>Treasurer General:</b>		
Clerical services.....	4,018.30	
Postage.....	58.61	
Supplies.....	105.34	
Carfare and taxi.....	1.40	
Telephone and telegrams.....	17.31	
Repair typewriter.....	5.77	4,206.73
<b>Registrar General:</b>		
Clerical services.....	5,126.74	
Supplies.....	160.69	5,287.43
<b>Historian General:</b>		
Clerical services.....	395.13	
Postage.....	23.00	
Supplies.....	7.26	425.39
<b>Curator General:</b>		
Clerical services.....	705.20	
Supplies.....	29.40	
Express and cartage.....	1.77	
Repairs.....	16.71	753.08
<b>Librarian General:</b>		
Clerical services.....	1,260.00	
Postage.....	6.00	
Supplies.....	13.30	
Books.....	104.50	
Subscriptions and dues.....	32.00	1,415.80
<b>Reporter General:</b>		
Clerical services.....	160.25	
Postage.....	38.00	
Supplies.....	36.40	
Telephone and telegram.....	10.20	244.85
<b>Business Office:</b>		
Clerical services.....	740.00	
Postage.....	5.00	
Repair typewriter.....	12.50	
Supplies.....	19.45	
Express.....	.36	777.31
<b>General Office:</b>		
Clerical services.....	546.82	
Supplies.....	325.86	
Cartage and express.....	6.00	
Awards and gifts.....	225.40	
Insurance.....	612.89	
Postage.....	690.45	
Legal fees.....	175.00	
Repair typewriter.....	2.50	2,584.92
<b>Committees:</b>		
<b>Buildings and Grounds:</b>		
Clerical services.....	\$180.00	
Supplies.....	2.71	
Express.....	1.29	
Telephone and telegrams.....	.35	184.35
<b>Filing and Lending:</b>		
Clerical services.....	350.00	
Express.....	25.65	
Supplies.....	31.16	
Postage.....	14.61	421.42

Motion Picture:			
Postage.....	30.00		
Supplies.....	5.00	35.00	
Genealogical Records:			
Clerical services.....	260.00		
Postage.....	10.00		
Express.....	1.30		
Supplies.....	2.92	274.22	
Radio:			
Supplies.....	2.05		
Telephone and telegrams.....	1.20		
Postage.....	4.34	7.59	922.58
Building Expense:			
Services.....	\$6,241.57		
Supplies.....	554.94		
Electric current and gas.....	569.74		
Fuel Oil.....	1,221.02		
Ice and towel service.....	18.04		
Elevator inspection.....	104.00		
Hauling trash.....	11.50		
Time service.....	10.53		
General repairs.....	1.10		
	8,732.44		
Expenses allocated American Red Cross and Pan American Union.....	852.74	7,879.70	
Printing Office:			
Services.....	330.00		
Telephone and telegrams.....	2.25	332.25	
Constitution Hall Events:			
Services.....	4,416.20		
Supplies.....	9.31		
Telephone and telegrams.....	11.05		
Care of Organ.....	50.00	4,486.56	
Magazine:			
Services.....	995.32		
Postage.....	333.48		
Supplies.....	74.73		
Issues.....	3,253.03		
Articles.....	170.00		
Indexing.....	50.00		
Miscellaneous:			
Picture.....	1.00		
Repair typewriter.....	1.25		
Copyrite.....	24.00		
Refunds.....	3.65		
Travel.....	96.79		
Telephone and telegrams.....	12.44	5,015.69	
American Red Cross—portion of building expense.....		840.74	
Pan American Union—portion of building expense.....		12.00	
Office furniture and equipment.....		545.98	
Flag booklets—codes.....		91.81	
Parliamentarian—service, postage.....		160.00	
Society's contribution to Pension and Retirement Fund.....		473.67	
State Regents' postage.....		20.40	
Telephone and telegrams:			
Operators.....	\$296.00		
Services.....	166.01	462.01	
Transferred to Board Minutes.....		2,500.00	
Employees withholding tax.....		2,967.59	
What the Daughters Do (refund).....		1.00	
Purchase of Bond.....		75.00	
Transferred to Reserve Fund for Maintenance of Properties.....		5,550.00	

## 55th Continental Congress:

Travel .....	\$34.32
Supplies .....	18.98
Postage .....	23.00
Hotel Room .....	13.51
Telephone .....	13.98
Prints .....	27.45
Per Diem allowance .....	3.50

134.74

## Credentialed:

Services .....	16.00	\$150.74
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Bad Checks .....	61.50
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## Accounts Receivable:

Returned checks.....	73.00	
Sundries.....	10.00	83.00

Total Disbursements .....	54,034.86
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Balance February 28, 1946 .....	\$263,684.21
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## PETTY CASH FUND

TEXT CASH FUND		
Balance February 28, 1946.....	\$1,200.00	
Constitution Hall Events—petty cash.....	1,000.00	\$2,200.00

## PERMANENT FUND

## Golden Jubilee Endowment Fund:

Balance December 31, 1945.....		\$1,226.85
Receipts—Interest.....	\$250.00	
Contributions.....	23.60	273.60

## Disbursements—Interest to Schools:

Tamasse D. A. R. ....	557.37	1,500.45
Kate Duncan Smith .....	557.38	1,114.75

Balance February 28, 1946 .....	\$385.70
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## State Rooms:

Balance—December 31, 1945.....		399.22
Receipts—contributions.....	47.85	
Transferred from Museum.....	4.80	52.65

Balance February 28, 1946 .....	451.87
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## Archives Room:

Balance February 28, 1946 .....	529.80
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## Indian Room:

Balance February 28, 1946 .....	68.38
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## Museum:

Balance December 31, 1945 .....	3,673.46
Receipts—contributions .....	310.70

3,984.16

Disbursements—Transferred to State Rooms .....	4.80
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Balance February 28, 1946 .....	3,979.36
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Total Permanent Fund .....	\$5,415.11
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## SPECIAL FUNDS

## Angel and Ellis Islands:

Balance December 31, 1945 .....	\$27,481.89
Receipts—contributions .....	16,075.26

43,557.15

## Disbursements—

Transferred to Current Fund for Insurance .....	\$79.55	
Services .....	1,520.00	
Financial service .....	449.57	
Supplies .....	1,499.12	
Printing .....	8.10	
Angel Island .....	128.60	3,684.94

Balance February 28, 1946 .....	\$39,872.21
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Committee Maintenance:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	\$1,389.69	
Receipts—contributions.....	4,708.46	
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	6,098.15	
Disbursements:		
Financial service.....	121.96	
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Balance February 28, 1946.....		\$5,976.19
Good Citizenship Pilgrimage:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	7,949.93	
Receipts—contributions.....	3,018.88	
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	10,968.81	
Disbursements:		
Bond awards.....	\$375.00	
Financial service.....	83.01	
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	458.01	
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Balance February 28, 1946.....		10,510.80
Junior American Citizens:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	243.49	
Receipts—contributions.....	1,993.93	
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	2,237.42	
Disbursements:		
Supplies.....	84.97	
Express.....	10.62	
Financial service.....	55.02	
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	150.61	
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Balance February 28, 1946.....		2,086.81
Manual:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	41,264.58	
Receipts—contributions.....	5,042.31	
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	46,306.89	
Disbursements:		
Services.....	120.00	
Postage.....	200.00	
Supplies.....	45.94	
Financial service.....	149.62	
Cartage and express.....	5.92	
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	521.48	
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Balance February 28, 1946.....		45,785.41
National Defense:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	6,65.108	
Receipts—		
Contributions.....	10,016.29	
Sale of literature.....	369.00	
Sale of Medals.....	654.37	
Buddy Bags.....	1,003.55	
War Service pins.....	117.30	
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	12,160.51	
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	18,818.61	
Disbursements:		
Medals.....	204.00	
Subscriptions.....	7.05	
Buddy Bags.....	627.00	
Clerical service.....	1,879.75	
Postage.....	108.07	
Supplies and literature.....	92.06	
Carfare and cartage.....	21.00	
Express.....	1.82	
Travel.....	150.00	
Contribution to Pension and Retirement Fund.....	21.72	
Printing.....	536.90	
Telephone.....	83.98	
Financial service.....	276.80	
Miscellaneous.....	22.90	
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	4,033.05	
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Balance February 28, 1946.....		14,785.56
Press Relations:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	6,381.53	

Receipts:		
Contributions.....	\$2,001.07	
Hand Books.....	.30	
Book on Restoration.....	55.50	\$2,056.87
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Disbursements:		
Services.....	220.00	8,438.40
Postage.....	30.00	
Express.....	.71	
Supplies.....	5.00	
Subscriptions.....	7.80	
Telephone and telegrams.....	5.38	
Financial service.....	55.25	
Transferred to Current Fund-Stamped envelopes.....	83.90	408.04
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Balance February 28, 1946.....		\$8,030.36
Approved Schools:		
Receipts.....	40,821.42	
Disbursements.....	40,821.42	
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Americanism:		
Receipts.....	1,960.25	
Disbursements.....	1,960.25	
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American Red Cross:		
Receipts.....	953.00	
Disbursements.....	953.00	
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Conservation:		
Receipts.....	803.76	
Disbursements.....	803.76	
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Save the Children Federation:		
Receipts.....	58.50	
Disbursements.....	58.50	
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Seeing Eye:		
Receipts.....	19.00	
Disbursements.....	19.00	
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Student Loan:		
Receipts.....	417.55	
Disbursements.....	417.55	
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Sundry Contributions:		
Receipts.....	15,938.37	
Disbursements.....	15,938.37	
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War Bonds:		
Receipts.....	860.50	
Disbursements.....	860.50	
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Historical Research:		
Receipts.....	3,315.42	
Disbursements.....	3,315.42	
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Advancement of American Music:		
Balance February 28, 1946.....		5.00
United China Relief:		
Receipts.....	15.00	
Disbursements.....	15.00	
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American Indians:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	659.45	
Receipts—contributions.....	1,519.58	
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	2,179.03	



Disbursements:—		
Refund to State of Calif.....	\$78.50	
Refund to State of Mich.....	33.00	
Refund to State of Oreg.....	6.00	
Refund to State of Florida.....	5.00	
Refund to State of Iowa.....	19.00	
Refund to State of So. Car.....	33.00	
Scholarship St. Mary's.....	102.80	
Bacone College.....	388.10	\$665.40
Balance February 28, 1946.....		\$1,513.63
Agnes Carpenter Mountain Schools:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	1,017.25	
Disbursements: Interest to Schools:		
Lincoln Memorial.....	135.66	
Maryville.....	135.66	
Crossnore.....	135.66	406.98
Balance February 28, 1946.....		610.27
Anne Rogers Minor Scholarship Fund:		
Balance February 28, 1946.....		653.63
Blood Plasma:		
Balance February 28, 1946.....		41,821.61
D. A. R. War Fund:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	52,507.04	
Receipts—contributions.....	7,746.27	
	60,253.31	
Disbursements:		
Refunds, New Jersey.....	755.50	
Refunds, Illinois.....	2,589.50	
Refunds, Indiana.....	45.00	
Refund, Louisiana.....	50.00	
Refund, Montana.....	5.00	
Refund, New Hampshire.....	85.70	
Refund, Oregon.....	202.56	
Refund, Iowa.....	997.60	
Refund, New York.....	150.00	
Refunds, Nebraska.....	232.00	
Refunds, Wyoming.....	30.00	
Kate Duncan Smith D. A. R. School.....	25,000.00	
Tamassee D. A. R. School.....	25,000.00	55,142.86
Balance February 28, 1946.....		5,110.45
Helen Pouch Memorial Scholarship Fund:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	597.49	
Receipts—contributions.....	750.50	
Balance February 28, 1946.....		1,347.99
Hillside School, Inc., Endowment Fund:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	357.39	
Receipts—contributions.....	10.00	
Balance February 28, 1946.....		367.39
Library Clock Fund:		
Balance February 28, 1946.....		150.00
Hugh Vernon Washington Library Fund:		
Balance December 31, 1945.....	2,257.57	
Receipts—Interest.....	56.25	
Books bought in error from this fund.....	104.50	160.75
	2,418.32	
Disbursements:		
Books.....	177.20	
Transferred to Harriet E. Bowen Book Fund.....	905.00	1,082.20
Balance February 28, 1946.....		1,336.12

<b>Harriet E. Bowen Book Fund:</b>		
Receipt—Transferred from Hugh Vernon Washington Library Fund	\$905.00	
Balance February 28, 1946		\$905.00
<b>Life Membership:</b>		
Balance December 31, 1945	\$2,130.11	
Disbursement:		
Interest transferred to Current Fund	62.50	
Balance February 28, 1946		2,067.61
<b>Metal Locator:</b>		
Balance February 28, 1946		484.17
<b>Microfilming:</b>		
Balance December 31, 1945	241.48	
Receipts—contributions	24.00	
Balance February 28, 1946		265.48
<b>Motion Picture Equipment:</b>		
Balance December 31, 1945	922.77	
Receipts—contributions	97.00	
Balance February 28, 1946		1,019.77
<b>Philippine Scholarship Fund:</b>		
Balance December 31, 1945	511.97	
Receipts—Interest	122.50	
Balance February 28, 1946		634.47
<b>Preservation, Gowns of Presidents General:</b>		
Balance February 28, 1946		211.84
<b>Reserve for Maintenance of Properties:</b>		
Balance December 31, 1945	6,057.71	
Receipts—Transferred from Current Fund	5,550.00	
	11,607.71	
Disbursements:		
Transferred to Current Fund for Library Clock	\$150.00	
Administration Building	346.00	
Constitution Hall	82.07	578.07
Balance February 28, 1946		11,029.64
<b>Tamassee Auditorium Fund:</b>		
Receipts	5,578.35	
Disbursements	5,578.35	
<b>Valley Forge—Tower Window:</b>		
Balance December 31, 1945	7,619.38	
Receipts—contributions	21,301.45	
	28,920.83	
Disbursements:		
Refund to Washington	10.00	
Refund to Kentucky	10.00	
Refund to New Jersey	20.00	40.00
Balance February 28, 1946		28,880.83
Total Special Funds		\$225,462.24

## RECAPITULATION

<i>Funds</i>	<i>Balance 12-31-45</i>	<i>Receipts</i>	<i>Disburse- ments</i>	<i>Balance 2-28-46</i>
Current Fund.....	\$196,495.80	\$121,223.27	\$54,034.86	\$263,684.21
Petty Cash Fund.....	1,200.00			1,200.00
Petty Cash Fund—Constitution Hall.....	1,000.00			1,000.00
Permanent Fund.....	5,897.71	637.15	1,119.75	5,415.11
Advancement American Music.....	5.00			5.00
Americanism.....		1,960.25	1,960.25	
American Indians.....	659.45	1,519.58	665.40	1,513.63
American Red Cross.....		953.00	953.00	
Angel and Ellis Island.....	27,481.89	16,075.26	3,684.94	39,872.21
Anne Rogers Minor Scholarship.....	653.63			653.63
Approved Schools.....		40,821.42	40,821.42	
Blood Plasma.....	41,821.61			41,821.61
Carpenter Mountain School.....	1,017.25		406.98	610.27
Conservation.....		803.76	803.76	
Committee Maintenance.....	1,389.69	4,708.46	121.96	5,976.19
D. A. R. War Fund.....	52,507.04	7,746.27	55,142.86	5,110.45
Good Citizenship Pilgrimage.....	7,949.93	3,018.88	458.01	10,510.80
Helen Pouch Scholarship.....	597.49	750.50		1,347.99
Hillside School, Inc., Endowment Fund.....	357.39	10.00		367.39
Historical Research.....		3,315.42	3,315.42	
Junior American Citizens.....	243.49	1,993.93	150.61	2,086.81
Library Clock Fund.....	150.00			150.00
Harriet E. Bowen Book Fund.....		905.00		905.00
Hugh Vernon Washington Library Fund.....	2,257.57	160.75	1,082.20	1,336.12
Life Membership.....	2,130.11		62.50	2,067.61
Manuals.....	41,264.58	5,042.31	521.48	45,785.41
Metal Locator.....	484.17			484.17
Microfilming.....	241.48	24.00		265.48
Motion Picture Equipment.....	922.77	97.00		1,019.77
National Defense.....	6,658.10	12,160.51	4,033.05	14,785.56
Pension and Retirement Fund.....	3,522.64	2,024.53	2,299.16	3,248.01
Philippine Scholarship.....	511.97	122.50		634.47
Press Relations.....	6,381.53	2,056.87	408.04	8,030.36
Preservation, Gowns of Presidents General.....	211.84			211.84
Reserve for Maintenance of Prop.....	6,057.71	5,550.00	578.07	11,029.64
Save the Children Federation.....		58.50	58.50	
Seeing Eye.....		19.00	19.00	
Student Loan.....		417.55	417.55	
Sundry contributions.....		15,938.37	15,938.37	
Tamassee Auditorium.....		5,578.35	5,578.35	
United China Relief.....		15.00	15.00	
Valley Force—Tower Window.....	7,619.38	21,301.45	40.00	28,880.83
War Bonds.....		860.50	860.50	
	<u>\$417,691.22</u>	<u>\$277,869.34</u>	<u>\$195,550.99</u>	<u>\$500,009.57</u>

## DISPOSITION OF FUNDS

National Metropolitan Bank.....	\$494,561.56
Riggs National Bank.....	3,248.01
Petty Cash in Office of Treasurer General.....	1,200.00
Petty Cash in Office of Treasurer General—Constitution Hall.....	1,000.00

\$500,009.57

## PENSION AND RETIREMENT FUND

Balance December 31, 1945.....	\$3,522.64
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## RECEIPTS

Employees' contributions.....	\$459.39
Society's contributions.....	459.39
Interest.....	1,033.75

\$5,547.17

## DISBURSEMENTS

Pensions.....	2,299.16
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Balance February 28, 1946.....	<u>\$3,248.01</u>
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Current Fund		INVESTMENTS	
Chicago and Alton R. R. Co. 3% bonds, due 1949 (par value \$3,000.00).....	\$2,314.84		
U. S. Treasury 2% bonds, December 15, 1949-51.....	\$5,000.00		
U. S. Treasury 2% bonds, September 15, 1951-53.....	25,000.00		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, December 15, 1959-62.....	21,500.00		
U. S. Savings bonds, Series F due 1957 (maturity value \$100.00).....	75.00		51,575.00
<b>Golden Jubilee Endowment Fund</b>			
Capital Traction Co. 5% bonds, June 1, 1947 (par value \$5,000.00).....	\$5,292.50		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/2% bonds, March 15, 1952-54 (par value \$7,200.00)....	7,382.50		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/2% bonds, June 15, 1964-69.....	10,000.00		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, June 15, 1959-62.....	10,000.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1954.....	11,400.00		
U. S. Savings bonds, Series F, due 1954 (maturity value \$550.00).....	407.00		
U. S. Savings Bonds, Series F, due 1955 (maturity value \$125.00).....	92.50		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1956.....	400.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1956.....	10,000.00		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, December 15, 1959-62.....	1,000.00		55,974.50
<b>Archives Room Fund</b>			
U. S. Treasury 2 1/2% bonds, June 15, 1964-69.....	\$500.00		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, December 15, 1959-62.....	8,500.00		9,000.00
<b>National Defense</b>			
U. S. Treasury 2% bonds, December 15, 1949-51.....			5,000.00
<b>Agnes Carpenter Mountain Schools Fund</b>			
U. S. Treasury 2 1/2% bonds, March 15, 1952-54 (par value \$2,000.00)....	\$2,050.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1954.....	13,400.00		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, December 15, 1959-62.....	10,500.00		25,950.00
<b>Anne Rogers Minor Scholarship Fund</b>			
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, December 15, 1959-62.....			3,000.00
<b>Helen Pouch Memorial Scholarship Fund</b>			
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1956.....			500.00
<b>Hillside School, Inc., Endowment Fund</b>			
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1956.....	\$700.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1957.....	1,000.00		1,700.00
<b>Hugh Vernon Washington Library Fund</b>			
U. S. Treasury 2 1/2% bonds, March 15, 1952-54 (par value \$9,000.00)....	\$9,225.00		
U. S. Treasury 2% bonds, March 15, 1950-52.....	15,000.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1954.....	4,000.00		
U. S. Postal Savings 2 1/2% bonds, due 1952.....	500.00		28,725.00
<b>Life Membership Fund</b>			
U. S. Treasury 2 1/2% bonds, March 15, 1952-54 (par value \$5,000.00)....	\$5,125.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1953.....	200.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1954.....	13,000.00		
U. S. Postal Savings 2 1/2% bonds, due 1952.....	500.00		18,825.00
<b>Philippine Scholarship Fund</b>			
U. S. Treasury 2 1/2% bonds, June 15, 1964-69.....	\$3,000.00		
U. S. Treasury 2% bonds, September 15, 1951-53.....	500.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1954.....	9,800.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1955.....	500.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1956.....	200.00		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, December 15, 1959-62.....	11,000.00		\$25,000.00
<b>Reserve Fund for Maintenance of Properties</b>			
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, June 15, 1952-55.....	\$4,800.00		
U. S. Treasury 2% bonds, September 15, 1951-53.....	15,000.00		
U. S. Treasury 1/2% Certificates of Indebtedness, December 1, 1946.....	15,000.00		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, December 15, 1959-62.....	10,000.00		44,800.00
<b>Pension and Retirement Fund</b>			
Capital Traction Co. 5% bonds, due June 1, 1947 (par value \$8,500.00)..<	\$8,325.00		
Detroit Edison Co. 4% bonds, due October 1, 1965 (par value \$5,000.00)..<	5,563.68		
Potomac Electric Co. 3 1/4% bonds, due July 1, 1966 (par value \$4,000.00)..<	4,390.00		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% bonds, June 15, 1959-62.....	10,000.00		
U. S. Treasury 2 1/2% bonds, June 15, 1964-69.....	41,500.00		
U. S. Savings 2 1/2% bonds, Series G, due 1953.....	25,000.00		

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U. S. Savings $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ bonds, Series G, due 1954.....	47,700.00	
U. S. Savings $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ bonds, Series G, due 1955.....	28,300.00	
U. S. Savings $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ bonds, Series G, due 1956.....	10,000.00	180,778.68
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		\$453,143.02

ALICE B. HAIG,  
Treasurer General,  
N. S. D. A. R.

The First Vice President General, Mrs. Marshall, took the chair.

Mrs. Haig moved that the funds listed under Permanent Fund be listed under Special Funds effective at once. Seconded by Mrs. Porter. Carried.

Mrs. Frederick G. Smith, Chairman, read the report of the Finance Committee.

#### Report of Finance Committee

During January and February vouchers were approved to the amount of \$185,177.15, which includes contributions received for Approved Schools for \$40,821.42; Tamasee Auditorium, \$5,578.35; Sundries, \$15,938.37; Historical Research, \$3,315.42; Americanism, \$1,960.25; American Red Cross, \$953.00; Conservation, \$803.76 War Bonds, \$860.50; Student Loans, \$417.55; Save the Children Federation, \$58.50; Seeing Eye, Inc., \$19.00; United China Relief, \$15.00.

The larger disbursements were as follows:

War Fund.....	\$55,142.86
Clerical service.....	18,533.02
Services of manager, general supervisor of buildings, superintendent and employees.....	10,832.01
Magazine.....	5,015.69
Angel and Ellis Islands.....	3,155.82
National Defense.....	3,756.25
Postage.....	1,444.43
Pensions.....	2,299.16
Withholding tax.....	2,967.59

MABEL J. SMITH,  
Chairman.

Mrs. T. B. Throckmorton, Chairman, read the report of the Auditing Committee.

#### Report of Auditing Committee

The Auditing Committee reports that it held a meeting on Friday, May 3rd, at 3 P. M. in the Catalogue Room of the Administration Building for the purpose of comparing the reports of the Treasurer General and the F. W. Laifrentz and Co., Public Accountants. After careful examination, the reports were found to be in accord.

I wish to especially commend the work of our National Vice Chairman, Mrs. Samuel West Russell, for making all arrangements for the meetings and for her fine assistance to the chairman at all times. May I also extend my gratitude to the competent members of our committee living in and around Washington. Their loyal assistance has been splendid.

The Treasurer General and her efficient staff have my sincere appreciation for their cooperation at all times and in having all papers in readiness for the audit.

EDNA DUDLEY THROCKMORTON,  
Chairman.

Mrs. Throckmorton moved the adoption of the report of the Auditing Committee, carrying with it the appending reports of the Treasurer General and the Finance Committee. Seconded by Mrs. Steele. Carried.

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Raymond C. Goodfellow, read her report.

#### Report of Organizing Secretary General

My report is as follows:

The resignation of Mrs. Edward G. Harris as State Regent of Cuba has been received. Her successor will be confirmed at Congress.

Through their respective State Regents, the following members at large are presented for confirmation as Organizing Regents:

Mrs. Eunice Vandegrift French, Athens, Alabama.

Mrs. Minnie Calvert Guinn, Belle Plaine, Iowa.

Mrs. Bess Railing, Milan, Missouri.

Mrs. Ethel Haswell Miller, Hoosick, New York.

Mrs. Marie S. Jonas, Marion, North Carolina.

Miss Clara E. Coyner, Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

Mrs. Annie Lea McNulty Baker, Bolivar, Tennessee.

Mrs. Margaret Hutton Smith Brandon, Lewisburg, Tennessee.

Mrs. Margaret Barron Taylor, Pennington Gap, Virginia.

The following Organizing Regencies have expired by time limitation:

Mrs. Bertha E. Teller, Littleton, Colorado.

Mrs. Emily Alice Crossen Brooke, Ontario, Oregon.

The location of the Organizing Regency of Mrs. Lillian Russell Ray is requested changed to Jacksonville, North Carolina, by her State Regent.

The State Regent of Wyoming requests a chapter authorized at Powell, Wyoming.

The Arthur Barrett Chapter of Frankfort, Kansas, requests permission through their State Regent, to change its location to Marysville.

The Manchac Chapter of Port Allen, Louisiana, requests permission to change its location to Baton Rouge.

The Van Buren County Chapter of Bonaparte, Iowa, through its State Regent, requests permission to change its location to Keosauqua, Iowa.

The Amos Wheeler Chapter of North Branch, Michigan, through the State Regent, requests official disbandment.

The authorization of chapters at Burns and Tillamook, Oregon, has expired by time limitation.

The following chapters have met all requirements, according to our National By-laws and are now presented for confirmation:

Major Pierson B. Reading, Redding, California.

Governor George W. Towns, Talbotton, Georgia.

Eli Skinner, Arlington Heights, Illinois.

Aroostook, Presque Isle, Maine.

Joseph Montfort, Jacksonville, North Carolina.  
 Frances Scott Walker, Hugo, Oklahoma.  
 Samuel Whitney, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.  
 Aaron Burleson, Longview, Texas.

EDNA B. GOODFELLOW,  
*Organizing Secretary General,*  
 N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Goodfellow moved the acceptance of the resignation of Mrs. Edward J. Harris, State Regent of Cuba; the confirmation of nine organizing regents; the change in location of the organizing regency of Mrs. Lillian Russell Ray; the change in location of two chapters; the disbandment of one chapter; and the confirmation of eight chapters. Seconded by Mrs. Manlove. Carried.

The Registrar General, Mrs. Roscoe C. O'Byrne, read her report.

### Report of Registrar General

I have the honor to submit the following report of the work of this office since my last report:

Number of applications verified.....	2,158
Number of supplementals verified.....	233
Total number of papers verified.....	2,391
Papers returned unverified:	
Originals.....	107
Supplementals.....	30
New records verified.....	180
Permits issued for official insignia.....	202
Permits issued for miniature insignia.....	194
Permits issued for ancestral bar.....	311

ESTELLA A. O'BYRNE,  
*Registrar General,*  
 N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. O'Byrne moved that the 2,158 applicants whose records have been verified by the Registrar General be elected to membership in the National Society. Seconded by Mrs. Lee. Carried.

Mrs. Haig moved that 236 former members be reinstated. Seconded by Mrs. Porter. Carried.

The Historian General, Mrs. Frank Edgar Lee, presented an informal report, in which she expressed her appreciation to the State Regents for the way in which they had gotten back of the Valley Forge project. She announced that \$46,000 had been raised toward the completion of the Bell Tower. A new letter was distributed setting forth plans for special memorials comparable to the floor section.

Announcements were made regarding the ceremonies at Valley Forge following Continental Congress. Mrs. Lee, State Regent of Colorado, presented a check for \$250 for the Colorado Society's floor section. Iowa and New York announced that they had raised the funds for their floor sections, and other plans in progress for purchase of sections were announced.

Mrs. Lee stated that the regular work in the Historian General's department had gone forward with enthusiasm, a more complete report of which would be read at Congress.

The Librarian General, Mrs. Frederick G. Smith, read her report.

### Report of Librarian General

The generosity of the states has been very much appreciated as shown by the large number of books, manuscripts and pamphlets received since

our last report in February. We have received 243 books, 62 pamphlets and 21 manuscripts.

We refer state regents and state librarians to the printed report of the Librarian General which will be found in Proceedings of Congress.

A Librarian Round Table will be held at the Marlborough-Blenheim Hotel, Atlantic City, Monday morning, May 20th at 10 A. M. for an hour, in the West Solarium. All state and chapter librarians are welcome.

We regret we have not a 100 per cent report from state librarians this year. If your state has the word, "No report," after it, we regret that we had no report from your state librarian. We found in several cases new state librarians had been elected, but our office had not received the new name. We hope the coming year we will be promptly notified of new officers. We wish a contact and your state officers want to have our information. Let us cooperate to this end.

### BOOKS

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#### ARKANSAS

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#### CALIFORNIA

*We Three.* (Williams and Webster Families.) Harriet W. Myers. 1945. From Tierra Alta Chapter.

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*History of Whiteside County.* Charles Bend, ed. 1877. From Mrs. Ruth Bent Sapp.

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*Past and Present of Mercer County.* I. N. Bassett. 2 vols.

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*Portrait and Biographical Album of Woodford County.* 1889.

*Twin Souvenir of Francis C. Waid Comprising His First,*

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*History of Pottawattamie County From the Earliest Historic*

*Times to 1907.* H. H. Field and J. R. Reed. 2 vols. 1907.

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*Atlas of Mills and Fremont Counties.* 1910. From C. W.

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*History of Brown County.* A. N. Ruley. 1930. From New-

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*The Life of Charles Robinson, the First State Governor of*

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*The Parrish Family.* Susanna P. Wharton. 1925.

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*The History of the Celebration of the 250th Anniversary of*

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*Soldiers and Sailors Whose Graves Have Been Designated*

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*Their Connections.* F. M. Stoddard. 1891. From Committee

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## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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MABEL J. SMITH,  
 Librarian General,  
 N. S. D. A. R.

The Curator General, Mrs. Harry C. Oberholser, read her report.

## Report of Curator General

The period since the February Board meeting has been a busy one in the Museum. In our office the preparation of the annual report entails much work. At the same time the yearly reports from the states are being received. The items listed and the cash contributions are indeed an indication of the esteem in which the Museum is held by chapters all over the country. Notwithstanding the fact that the past year was essentially a war year these reports show that Museum interest has increased rather than diminished. Local exhibitions and programs by Museum Committees were general.

As it so happened March was the month in which the photographs for the articles appearing in the *National Historical Magazine* had to be made. Assembling this material is a difficult task and one that takes much time. Eleven of these articles, under the caption, "Museum Treasures" have appeared during the past year. Much favorable comment concerning this project is general among the readers of the Magazine. The Museum is grateful to the editor of the Magazine for giving us this space and appreciates the opportunity to present a few of its many treasures to the public in this manner.

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opportunity to view the present exhibitions has been large. A number of the District of Columbia chapters are acquainting themselves with the Museum by coming in chapter groups to see the exhibitions and the many points of interest in the Museum set-up.

During the past month one of the small rooms back of the stage in Memorial Continental Hall has been fitted with cases and shelves, making an attractive and convenient place to store some of our china and glass. From this point it will be easily available for use in exhibits. The Museum feels a keen responsibility for caring in the best possible manner for all of the gifts that come into its keeping. Planning and directing these projects in these days is time consuming.

It was the privilege of your Curator General to attend the meetings of the Ohio State Conference held in Cincinnati, March 13-15. Ohio's interest in the D. A. R. Museum is inspirational, and association with this fine group of women was helpful and pleasant. The effects of fine leadership in the state were evident and the results therefrom, exceptional.

On Monday morning, May 20, there will be a Museum Round Table discussion at the Marlborough Blenheim, to which all Museum friends are invited. Cards of notification are being sent.

To Miss Webster and Mrs. Broy the Curator General would express unusual thanks for their indefatigable effort to keep up the ever increasing work of the Museum office, and to Miss Newton for special work on accumulated historical data.

For the cooperation and help from the Buildings and Grounds Committee our thanks should also be expressed.

### MUSEUM GIFT LIST

February to April 1946

ALABAMA—Alamance Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Princess Schoy Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

ARIZONA—Mrs. Chester S. McMartin, Chairman. General George A. Crook Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Maricopa Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5. Tucson Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Yuma Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

CALIFORNIA—Miss Elizabeth S. Moore, Chairman. California chapters: Museum Fund, \$31. State Room Fund, \$41.50. Tamalpais Chapter: Order for payment 1719, Miss Elizabeth S. Moore.

CONNECTICUT—Mrs. Sidney H. Miner, Chairman. Abigail Phelps Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Anne Wood Elderkin Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Green Woods Chapter: Britannia teapot, Mrs. Mabelle Amelia Dowd. Judea Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Katherine Gaylord Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Marana Norton Brooks Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Mary Clap Wooster Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Nathan Hale Memorial Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Phoebe Humphrey Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Sabra Trumbull Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Sarah Ludlow Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Sarah Whitman Hooker Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—Mrs. Fred W. Mills, Chairman. Museum Committee: silver sauce tureen, honoring Mrs. Roy C. Bowker, State Regent. Museum Fund, \$25, honoring Mrs. Roy C. Bowker, State Regent. Museum Fund, \$15. Capt. Molly Pitcher Chapter: book, Mrs. F. D.

Gwynn. Col. John Donelson Chapter: \$20, honoring Mrs. Harry C. Oberholser, Curator General, N. S. D. A. R. Descendants of '76 Chapter: book, Miss Frances A. Norton. Dolly Madison Chapter: "Ulster County Gazette" (New York), Miss Lucile M. deV. Colby. E. Pluribus Unum Chapter: through Mrs. Harry C. Grove, baby dress, baby vest, triangular kerchief, ruffled kerchief, handkerchief, over dress, embroidered vest, table cloth, 2 pillow slips and sham, Emilie Nixon Moss, Marjorie Moss, and Elizabeth Moss.

FLORIDA—Mrs. F. L. Ezell, Chairman. Bartow Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Caroline Brevard Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Echebucassas Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Everglades Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Special Room Fund, \$5. Gainesville Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Jacksonville Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Lakeland Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Ocala Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Ocklawaha Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2.50. Orlando Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Ponce de Leon Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

GEORGIA—Mrs. John Bell, Chairman. State Society: Balance on hand, \$1.08. Atlanta Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Baron de Kalb Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Benjamin Hawkins Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Brier Creek Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Brunswick Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Col. John McIntosh Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Commander Richard Dale Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Council of Safety Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Edmund Burke Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Elijah Clarke Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Etowah Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Fort Early Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. George Walton Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Gov. David Emanuel Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Gov. Treutlen Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. John Benning Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. John Benson Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. John Clarke Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. La Grange Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Lyman Hall Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Matthew Talbot Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Nathaniel Macon Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Peter Early Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Stephen Heard Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Stephen Hopkins Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Sunbury Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Tomochichi Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. William Marsh Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

ILLINOIS—Mrs. George F. Senneff, Chairman. Asa Cottrell Chapter: 2 quilt squares, Mrs. Arthur Tripp. Museum Fund, \$1. Through Asa Cottrell Chapter: Pin cushion 1812, Mrs. Charles A. Stone nee Carrie Natting. Alliance Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Dewalt Mechin Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. James Halstead, Sr. Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Martha Ibbotson Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Mary Little Deere Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Michael Hillegas Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Peoria Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5. Chief Shaubena Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Toussaint du Bois Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5.

INDIANA—Miss Mary C. Guernsey, Chairman. Gen. de Lafayette Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Ouibache Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Richmond-Indiana Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Schuyler Colfax Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Wa-pe-ke-way Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Washburn Chapter:



Museum Fund, \$1. William Henry Harrison Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

Iowa—Mrs. Joseph F. Brechner, Chairman. Mason City Chapter: Centennial coverlet.

KANSAS—Mrs. D. F. Collingwood, Chairman. State Officers Club: Buttons—paperweight, honoring Mrs. Loren E. Rex. State Committee Chairmen: "Gaudy Dutch" Plate, honoring Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder, State Regent. Dodge City Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Eunice Sterling Chapter: book, Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell. Museum Fund, \$7.50. Jane Dean Coffey Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Mary Wade Strother Chapter: Museum Fund, \$3. Polly Ogden Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Susannah French Putney Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Uvedale Chapter: book, Mrs. Vernon E. McArthur. Museum Fund, \$5. Wichita Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5.

KENTUCKY—Mrs. J. A. Bower, Chairman. Je-mima Johnson Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5. John and Mary Jackson Chapter: Museum Fund, \$6.

LOUISIANA—Mrs. Robert W. Seymour, Chairman. Baton Rouge Chapter: Museum Fund, \$3. Calcasieu Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Ft. Miro Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Heirome Gaines Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

MAINE—Mrs. Victor A. Binford, Chairman. Mary Dillingham Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

MASSACHUSETTS—Miss Clara R. Russell, Chairman. Committee of Safety Chapter: book, Albert A. Reed, in Memory of Emma Handers Reed. Deane Winthrop Chapter: Book (1694), Mrs. Harriett E. Whipple. Eunice Day Chapter: Cotton Print map, Mrs. William J. Browne. Lydia Partridge Whiting Chapter: 2 silver teaspoons, Mrs. James K. Hemphill. Old Concord Chapter: Book, Mrs. Rolfe Bradbury. Old South Chapter: 21 miniature books for children; 2 rewards of merit, miniature sampler, doll's coffee grinder, Mrs. Rufus K. Noyes.

MISSISSIPPI—Mrs. Robert B. McLeod, Chairman. Bernard Romans Chapter: Salt, Mrs. J. L. Fant. Museum Fund, \$2.10. Copiah Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Cotton Gin Port Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. David Thompson Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. James Gilliam Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. John Rolfe Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Magnolia State Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Maj. Matthew McConnell Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Nahoula Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Pushmataha Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Ralph Humphreys Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Rosannah Waters Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5. Thomas Rodney Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

MISSOURI—Miss Mona May Osbourn, Chairman. Elizabeth Benton Chapter: book.

NEBRASKA—Mrs. S. E. Ely, Chairman. Katakadin Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—Mrs. Leslie P. Snow, Chairman. New Hampshire D. A. R.: book, Gunthwaite Chapter: Rewards of merit, valentines, children's books, Mrs. Karl J. Brummer. Hannah Morrill Witcher Chapter: baby shirt, doll underwear, Mrs. Lewis E. Davison. Peterborough Chapter: State Room Fund, \$1.35.

NEW JERSEY—Mrs. Jesse G. Haydock, Chairman. Beacon Fire Chapter: shoemaker's last and tools, Mrs. J. Howard Conover. Camp Middlebrook

Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Cape May Patriots; book, Mrs. Ralph Stevens. Museum Fund, \$2. Capt. Joshua Huddy Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Chinkchewunsk Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5. Col. Jonathan Oliphant Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Eagle Rock Chapter: brass candlestick, satin fan, lace shawl, Mrs. John Harman-Ashley; "Ulster County Gazette," Mrs. David C. Greene. Garret A. Hobart Chapter: Museum Fund, \$3. General Frelinghuysen Chapter: night cap, Mrs. Wallace G. Hawley. Gen. Lafayette Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Great John Mathis Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Greenwich Tea Burning Chapter: Wistar glass fragment, Mrs. Leslie W. Gibson; Wistar glass fragment, Mrs. T. Earle Reeves. Museum Fund, \$1. Nassau Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Orange Mt. Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Peggy Warne Chapter: bellows bottle; Museum Fund, \$10.37. Polly Wyckoff Chapter: Daily Journal, Mrs. Andrew Gabel, Jr. Princeton Chapter: 2 books, Mrs. Richard T. Anderson. Museum Fund, \$1. Red Bank Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Richard Stockton Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Short Hills Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Tennent Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Watch Tower Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Watchung Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Ye Olde Gloucester Chapter: branding iron, iron kettle and tongs, Mrs. E. S. Fray. Museum Fund, \$2.

NEW YORK—Mrs. Robert McClellan, Chairman. Katharine Pratt Horton Buffalo Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5. Washington Heights Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5.

NORTH CAROLINA—Mrs. S. L. Smith, Chairman. Edward Buncombe Chapter: book.

OHIO—Mrs. Roy H. Williams, Chairman. Columbus Chapter: glass dish, Mrs. Karl J. Brummer, through Mrs. Wilbur C. Dyer. Through Dolly Todd Madison Chapter: glass study material, U. S. Glass Co., Tiffin. Mahoning Chapter: steel fork, Mrs. Henry McConnell.

OREGON—Mrs. Ernest Calhoun, Chairman. Des Chutes Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

PENNSYLVANIA—Mrs. J. Edward Lenker, Chairman. Peter Muhlenberg Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Shikelimo Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

RHODE ISLAND—Mrs. Raymond M. Nickerson, Chairman. Bristol Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Col. Wm. Barton Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Esek Hopkins Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Gaspee Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Pettaquamscutt Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Phebe Greene Ward Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Taggart's Ferry Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

TENNESSEE—Mrs. Robert P. Armistead, Chairman. French Lick Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Judge David Campbell Chapter: book, Mrs. C. Griffin Martin.

TEXAS—Mrs. P. S. Tilson, Chairman. George Washington Chapter: State Room Fund, \$50, honoring Mrs. Harold Robinson.

VERMONT—Mrs. B. F. Lutman, Chairman. Bennington Chapter: Special Gift Fund, \$5. Green Mt. Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Lake St. Catherine Chapter: Museum Fund, \$3. Seth Warner Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

VIRGINIA—Mrs. H. A. Bass, Chairman. Golden Horseshoe Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Mt. Vernon Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

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WASHINGTON—Mrs. Chal Page Bryant, Chairman. Chief Seattle Chapter: Special Gift Fund, \$6. Mrs. Oswald Brown. Eliza Hart Spalding Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Gov. Isaac Stevens Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Kennewick Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Lady Stirling Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Marcus Whitman Chapter: Museum Fund, \$2. Sarah Wilmot Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. University of Washington Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Willapa Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

WEST VIRGINIA—Mrs. M. L. O'Neale, Chairman. Col. Morgan Morgan Chapter: book. Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter: paper money, Miss Georgia C. Price. Shenandoah Valley Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5. Wheeling Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

WISCONSIN—Mrs. P. R. Minahan, Chairman. Fond du Lac Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Janesville Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Jean Nicolet Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. John Bell Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Milwaukee Chapter: Museum Fund, \$10. Oshkosh Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Philip Allen Chapter: Museum Fund, \$5. Port Washington Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1. Waupun Chapter: Museum Fund, \$1.

MARY F. OBERHOLSER,  
*Curator General,*  
N. S. D. A. R.

The Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution, Mrs. William Horsfall, read her report.

#### Report of Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution

The Forty-eighth Annual Report of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution for the year 1944-1945 has been printed by consent of the United States Senate and is now ready for distribution. This Report is a United States Document and is one of the very few patriotic documents published.

An Act to Incorporate the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution was passed by the Fifth Congress of the United States of America on the second day of December, 1895, and was signed by President Grover Cleveland on February 25, 1896. Section 3 of this Act of Congress states: "That said Society shall report annually to the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution concerning its proceedings, and said Secretary shall communicate to Congress such portions thereof as he may deem of National interest and importance. The Regents of the Smithsonian Institution are authorized to permit said National Society to deposit its collections, manuscripts, books, pamphlets and other material for history in the Smithsonian Institution or in the National Museum at their discretion, upon such conditions and under such rules as they shall prescribe."

The compilation is made from the Proceedings of Continental Congress, which is received in August. Only matters pertaining to public interest are incorporated in this report, which must be completed by September 20. The Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, Mr. Webster P. True, receives the entire report, typed and in proper form to submit to Congress for printing.

Congress refers the report to the Senate Committee on Printing, which in due time reports it

out of committee and it is then ordered printed. Mr. True saw the book through the Printing Office in time for the Continental Congress in this May, 1946.

Comprised in this book are the reports of all National Officers, State Regents and National Chairmen, and all reports of these officers must be read and condensed so that no important facts are omitted.

Part I consists of the general proceedings of Continental Congress, which includes the President General's address, annual reports of National Officers and National Chairmen, together with the report of the Children of the American Revolution.

Part II consists of the State Regents' reports.

Part III lists the graves of soldiers of the American Revolution, with names, birth, death, cemetery and record of service. Records must be checked for accuracy. Names of wives of Revolutionary soldiers, Real Daughters and Real Granddaughters are included.

Locating the graves of the Revolutionary soldiers is an accomplishment for not only ourselves, but for posterity. Grateful acknowledgment is made to the State Historians who have participated in this obligation to those valiant men who gave their lives that freedom should reign in the United States of America.

Each year new graves are located. During 1944-1945, one thousand and ninety graves were reported. Many thousands are on record. A card index system for reference is being installed in the Business Office in the Administration Building. This means eliminating confusion and duplication of names, and there will be a definite record for all time, as from year to year the data will be kept.

As this report is an important record of the yearly accomplishments of the National Society, the need for brevity, clarity and accuracy in the statement of facts and figures is obvious.

Since the purpose of the founding of the Smithsonian Institution was for the "increase and diffusion of knowledge among men," the genealogical, historical and patriotic achievements and records of the National Society are used by the Smithsonian Institution as a file of reference for genealogists and historians.

Therefore, may I urge that State Officers and State Chairmen check their reports carefully before sending them to the State Regent to be incorporated in her report for Continental Congress. In thus striving to make all reports clear, correct and concise, an accurate Smithsonian Report will be an assured fact.

Now that you know of the close relationship existing between our Society and the Smithsonian Institution, you may be interested to learn a little of its early history. An Englishman named James Smithson, who never visited America, willed his entire estate of \$540,000 to the United States to found in the city of Washington an establishment for the "increase and diffusion of knowledge among men." His father was the Duke of Cumberland and his mother a descendant of Henry VII. Smithson was a scientist of note and why he left his fortune to the United States, instead of England, is unknown. In 1904 Smithson's remains were brought from Genoa, Italy, where he died in

1829, and interred in the grounds of the Smithsonian Institution.

Since this report is of historical value, copies should be placed in public and chapter libraries as a valuable addition for genealogical research.

The Reports may be obtained in the Business Office of the Society, price fifty cents.

As Reporter General, it is my desire to express my appreciation and thanks to Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, President General, N. S. D. A. R.; to Mr. Webster P. True, Secretary to the Smithsonian Institution; to the State Historians and Miss Janie H. Glascock, Chief Clerk of the Business Office, N. S. D. A. R., who have worked faithfully with me for the past year.

LYDIA E. HORSFALL,  
Reporter General to the  
Smithsonian Institution,  
N. S. D. A. R.

The Registrar General, Mrs. O'Byrne, called attention to the following figures on members taken in during the last two years: The total for the first year was 7,243, the total for this year is 7,972, making a grand total for the two years of 15,215 new members admitted. The reinstatements for the two years are 2,537, making a grand total of 17,752.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Manlove, read the recommendations of the Executive Committee.

Mrs. Manlove moved the adoption of recommendation No. 1 of the Executive Committee: That Mrs. Nettie Brougham, office of Registrar General, who will reach the retirement age of seventy, October 27, 1946, be retired, effective October 31, 1946, with pension of \$85.00 per month, and that she be permitted to remain on a per diem basis, provided her per diem salary and pension together do not exceed her present salary of \$160.00. Seconded by Mrs. Goodfellow. Carried.

Mrs. Marshall moved the adoption of recommendation No. 2 of the Executive Committee: To rescind the motion adopted at the February 1946 Board meeting in connection with the Quota Funds for 1946-1947. Seconded by Mrs. Steele. Carried.

Mrs. Marshall moved the adoption of recommendation No. 3 of the Executive Committee, for recommendation to the 55th Continental Congress:

That the quota funds for the ensuing year be as follows:

Committee Maintenance	2 cents
D. A. R. Good Citizenship Pilgrimage	2 "
D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship	4 "
Ellis Island	5 "
Junior American Citizens	2 "
National Defense	12 "
Press Relations	5 "
Total	32 cents

Seconded by Mrs. Steele. Carried.

Mrs. Horsfall moved the adoption of recommendation No. 4 of the Executive Committee: That in the future, the Smithsonian Report be compiled by the out-going Reporter General for the last year of her administration, since it covers work of her administration. Seconded by Mrs. Smith. Carried.

The question was raised as to drawing for place

on the ballot by candidates for Vice President General, after discussion with the Parliamentarian it was agreed that the six candidates endorsed in 1945 should draw for place in the first group and be elected to serve until 1948; that the candidates endorsed in 1946 would draw for place in the second group and the six receiving the highest number of votes would serve until 1949, the remaining ones serving for one year each, filling unexpired terms for that period.

The President General read the resignation of Mrs. Alexander J. Berger, Vice President General from Kansas.

Miss McMackin moved that this Board give a rising vote of appreciation to Mrs. Alexander Berger for her unselfish action in resigning as of May 21, 1946, to make possible the election of the 15 candidates for Vice President General. Seconded by Mrs. Silversteen. Carried by a rising vote.

Mrs. Porter moved that Mrs. Berger's resignation be accepted with regret. Seconded by Mrs. Grimes. Carried.

The Chairman of Approved Schools, Mrs. VanCourt Carwithen, read her report on Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee D. A. R. Schools.

#### Report on Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee D. A. R. Schools

Your national chairman of Approved Schools will present, at this time, only a brief report, as her full account of the work will appear in the Proceedings of Congress.

It was her privilege to attend the meeting of the Board at Kate Duncan Smith School last week. This school needs extensive changes in the water supply. If any state would be interested in this as a special project, your national chairman hopes to have plans and costs in the near future. The fund to renovate Becker Hall is growing, but not as rapidly as your chairman would like. New teacherages would help solve the problem of maintaining a satisfied faculty, as Gunter Mountain is too lonely for teachers without their own families.

Your chairman had luncheon in the new lunch room, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Pouch. The food was the same as the children received and was wholesome and appetizing, as well as being attractively arranged on the plates and nicely served.

At Tamassee, construction of the dormitory for small boys, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Pouch is progressing. The Chapel, gift of Miss Edla Gibson, State Regent of New York, in memory of her mother, will be erected as soon as building conditions permit.

The Tamassee Anniversary Fund has reached, in just two years of this administration, the goal set as the sum needed to build the Auditorium-Gymnasium. The spirit of your chairman fell when she discovered that the cost of the building, at present prices of labor and material, was almost double the amount tentatively mentioned by Mr. Cain, when we planned this twenty-fifth anniversary gift. The Daughters of the American Revolution will want only the best for our school and will, your chairman feels sure, increase this fund to meet the need of the times.

The interest in our two schools increased greatly

this year as evidenced in additional boxes, scholarships and money.

The financial report from our schools never agrees with that of the Treasurer General. In spite of the continued requests of your national chairman that money be sent through state treasurers to the Treasurer General, many gifts are sent directly to the schools. Kate Duncan Smith reports \$52,276.00 received this year and Tamasee reports \$92,602.00. These figures appear high because they include the rare and magnificent gift, from our National Board of Management, of \$25,000.00 to each of our two D. A. R. schools. An endowed scholarship of \$1,000.00, given in honor of Mrs. Grimes, State Regent, by the Daughters of Indiana, also swelled this fund.

May your chairman request that the state regents make every effort to acquaint their members with the fact that "Kenmore" is a *national shrine*, not an approved school. Many state chairmen report to this committee moneys earmarked for Kenmore.

Two thirds of this administration has come to an end. Your national chairman wishes to thank each state regent whose interest, reflected in the effort of her members, has made this year's wonderful report possible. One more year lies ahead. Let us give to Kate Duncan Smith the money needed for Becker Hall improvements and to supply the school with an adequate water supply. Perhaps some state will give another cottage, as Illinois has done, in honor of Mrs. Richards, State Regent. At Tamasee let us equal in the harvest of our gifts, the harvest from the soil, made possible by the farm shed filled with all necessary machinery and presented by Ohio, in honor of Mrs. Patton, State Regent. As we sow our seeds in dollars, generously given, the Auditorium-Gymnasium will become a reality and thanks will resound to the Daughters of the American Revolution in the shouts and laughter of future citizens, as they build their bodies, as well as their minds, to be equal to the burden of *responsibility* each one must bear in the America of tomorrow.

HENRIETTA P. CARWITHEN,  
Chairman.

The Recording Secretary General read the report of the Chairman of the National Historical Magazine, Mrs. Nason.

#### Report of National Historical Magazine Committee

This being the last time I report to you before Congress there is little to be said that is not included in the report to be given to Congress on Tuesday.

We have lived within our budget, although the change in price of magazine has made our income less than when we gave two years of the magazine for three dollars. That arrangement has caused us for years to be living on the next year's income but now we will "pay as we go." It makes this transition period hard but after next November we will find things much easier.

We have been pleased to bring you all the special messages from the President General relating to important matters concerning the good of the National Society and the much larger amount of Congress information than you have had in former years and feel the results have more than

made up for the extra expense and work involved. Many of the members attending this Congress are carrying their April and May issues for reference.

In the July magazine we hope to give you a story of this Congress which will be of interest to every subscriber.

It is with deepest regret I received word that Miss Poe could not be here but she will be following with interest everything which occurs.

We will welcome you at the Magazine Booth through Congress where several vice chairmen and state chairmen will be receiving with Miss Bright, our secretary.

ISABELLE C. NASON,  
Chairman.

The report of the Editor of the National Historical Magazine, Miss Elisabeth E. Poe, was filed.

#### Report of National Historical Magazine Editor

It is a pleasure to report progress during the past year in the editorial affairs of the *National Historical Magazine* of which I have the honor to be Editor.

Due to the constant aid and interest of Mrs. Talmadge, members of the Board of Management and Mrs. Frank L. Nason, Chairman of the National Historical Magazine Committee my duties have been considerably lightened and made more effective.

My thanks are due also to the constant interest and cooperation of our publishers Judd and Detweiler, and particularly to Mr. C. H. Cooke of that organization. Through a very difficult period of labor shortages, lack of news print and other basic materials in magazine making they have remained aware of our needs and have done everything within their power to assist us.

To Mrs. Lou Reynolds Spencer, our Genealogical Editor, may I also express thanks as well as to Miss Bessie Bright, our efficient Magazine Secretary, whose long service with the D. A. R. makes her a great help in solving many problems.

No report from me as Editor would be complete without an expression of appreciation of the work of our contributors who furnish the bulk of our magazine material from month to month. I am happy to point out that they have been faithful in the matter of deadlines and the number of words in their items. Often this has meant that they had to leave out some cherished thought or information but they have been cheerful about it. My thanks to them one and all.

With best wishes for a successful 55th Continental Congress and regret that I cannot be present, as I had hoped.

ELISABETH E. POE,  
Editor.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Manlove, read the resolution adopted by the Connecticut State Conference March 21, 1946, regarding the ruling governing the use of Constitution Hall as adopted March 23, 1932. Mrs. Lambert moved that a committee composed of at least three members of the Executive Committee, two Vice Presidents General, and two State Regents, be appointed to make a thorough survey of the situation in connection with the renting of Constitution

Hall, to formulate a policy for the leasing of the hall, and to report back to some future meeting of the National Board of Management for the ratification of this policy. Seconded by Mrs. Tynes. Carried unanimously.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Manlove, read the resolution of the Connecticut State Conference regarding employment of a public relations director. Mrs. Porter moved that the President General be empowered to appoint a committee for the study of Press Relations and other questions pertinent to the matter. Seconded by Mrs. Lammers. Carried unanimously.

Mrs. Marshall moved that since the two resolutions received from the State Conference of Connecticut have been received and read to the National Board of Management, that action upon these resolutions be deferred until such time as reports from the two committees appointed by the President General have been received by the Board. Seconded by Mrs. Manlove. Carried.

Mrs. Siegfried Roebbing, Chairman of Banquet Arrangements for Continental Congress, presented a problem that had arisen due to a change in management at the Ambassador Hotel and their refusal to seat the number that had originally been agreed to. Mrs. Porter moved that Mrs. Roebbing be empowered to obtain a written release from the Ambassador for the banquet and then transfer it to the Chelsea Hotel and report back before we adjourn. Seconded by Mrs. Lowry. Carried.

Mrs. Silversteen moved that a rising vote of confidence in our President General be given before we recess for luncheon. Seconded by Miss McMackin and carried with a rising vote.

Recess was taken at 12:45 p. m.

The afternoon meeting convened at 2:40 p. m., the President General, Mrs. Talmadge, presiding.

Mrs. Haig moved that 26 former members be reinstated making 262 reinstated this date. Seconded by Mrs. Stoddard. Carried.

Mrs. C. Edward Murray, Chairman, read the report of the Printing Committee.

#### Report of Printing Committee

Since my last report to you, this committee has had no expense, other than the salary of our multigraph operator. We now have a balance of \$180.69 from our budget of \$3,025.00 for the year.

The purchase of our mimeograph machine, which was delivered the last of January, has been most helpful in speeding our work for the various offices, and has made it possible to give prompt service in filling requests. The cost of this machine \$495.48, has already shown us it was a wise investment.

I wish to express my loving appreciation to our President General, Mrs. Talmadge, for her inspiration and confidence; to the members of the Board for their loyal support; to the members of the Printing Committee and Editing Committee, for their valuable service; to Miss Janie Glascock and Mrs. Erma Ash in the Business Office for their devoted interest, and to Charles Hughes in the Multigraph Office, whose untiring service has been most helpful to me.

JENNIE SCUDDER MURRAY,  
Chairman,

Mrs. Marshall moved that the National Board of Management designate the Executive Committee to receive through the President General's office the report of banquet negotiations being conducted at the present time. Seconded by Mrs. Gillaspie. Carried.

Mrs. Marshall moved that all preliminary meetings and the meeting of the National Board of Management be held October 15th, 16th, 17th, 1946. Seconded by Mrs. Ingram. Carried.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Manlove, read the minutes, which were approved as read.

Adjournment was taken at 3:20 p. m.

MARJORIE R. MANLOVE,  
Recording Secretary General,  
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# MINUTES

## NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

### REGULAR MEETING

May 23, 1946

THE regular meeting of the National Board of Management was called to order by the President General, Mrs. Julius Young Talmadge, in the West Solarium of the Marlborough-Blenheim Hotel, Atlantic City, New Jersey, at 2:40 p. m., on Thursday, May 23, 1946.

The President General extended a word of greeting to the new members of the Board.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Willard Steele, offered prayer.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Stanley Thorpe Manlove, called the roll, the following members being recorded as present: *National Officers:* Mrs. Talmadge, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Throckmorton, Mrs. Viethier, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Napier, Mrs. Creyke, Mrs. Bald, Mrs. Lattine, Mrs. Tompkins, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Chase, Mrs. Vaughn, Mrs. French, Mrs. Grimes, Mrs. Ingram, Mrs. Hussey, Mrs. Warthen, Mrs. Crist, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Steele, Mrs. Manlove, Miss Matthies, Mrs. Goodfellow, Mrs. Haig, Mrs. O'Byrne, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Oberholser, Mrs. Horsfall. *State Regents:* Mrs. Jacobs, Mrs. Alexander, Miss Lloyd, Mrs. Christin, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Iffland, Mrs. Clearman, Mrs. Byers, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Hull, Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Sapp, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Ink, Mrs. Shrewder, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Fair, Mrs. Heywood, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. McQuesten, Mrs. Miller, Miss Burwell, Mrs. Welch, Mrs. Rowland, Mrs. Suttie, Mrs. Beaupert, Mrs. Randolph, Mrs. Graham, Miss Gibson, Miss Carraway, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Snow, Miss Dentler, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Gorham, Mrs. Munnerlyn, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Barrow, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Tynes, Mrs. Hay, Mrs. Sisler, Miss Goodwin, Mrs. Stoddard, Mrs. Bates-Batcheller.

Mrs. O'Byrne moved that we dispense with the reading of the minutes of the last Board meeting. Seconded by Mrs. Grimes. Carried.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Manlove, read the minutes of the Thursday morning meeting of the 55th Continental Congress, which were approved as read.

The President General reported a conversation she had had with a member of the press, in which she had been told that Mrs. Luce had issued orders to the D. A. R. Committee Against Racial Discrimination in Constitution Hall to continue working under this name. A long discussion ensued, at the conclusion of which the following action was taken: Moved by Mrs. Murray that our lawyer be asked to write the letter to known D. A. R. members of the Committee on Racial Discrimination in Constitution Hall, telling them of the action of the 55th Continental Congress. Seconded by Mrs. Manlove. Carried.

The National Officers were asked to make any informal comments they cared to, to the members of the Board. The First Vice President Gen-

eral, Mrs. Marshall, following an expression of pride and confidence in the President General, extended a word of welcome to the new members of the Board and expressed her gratification that so many former members had been returned to the Board. She reported progress in the preparation of the suggested outline for chapter programs.

The Second Vice President General, Mrs. Murray, stated that the Brochure would go out very soon. She reported the final arrangements for the banquet, stating that there were over 1,500 reservations, this being the largest banquet the Society had ever had.

The Third Vice President General, Mrs. Throckmorton, presented the question of immediate relief for American children in the Philippines, a project in which the Honorary President General, Mrs. Hobart, is interested, and to which she spoke at the Congress, making a plea for contributions to a fund to provide such relief. It was suggested that the State Regents tell their chapters of this need so that those wishing to, might send their contributions to the Treasurer General, clearly marked for this purpose.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Steele, urged that the names of new State Chaplains be sent to her promptly.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Manlove, added her word of welcome, and pledged the cooperation of her office.

The Corresponding Secretary General, Miss Matthies, reminded the members that copies of the Constitution and By-Laws might be obtained from her office.

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Goodfellow, read her report.

#### Report of Organizing Secretary General

The Ann Spafford Chapter of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, has met all requirements, according to our National By-laws, and is now presented for confirmation.

EDNA B. GOODFELLOW,  
Organizing Secretary General,  
N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Goodfellow moved the confirmation of the Ann Spafford Chapter of Cleveland Heights, Ohio. Seconded by Mrs. Haig. Carried.

The Treasurer General, Mrs. Haig, reminded the State Regents that they were entitled to postage, the amount based on the number of chapters in the State, and to stationery, and asked them to make their requests of her office.

The Registrar General, Mrs. O'Byrne, read her report.

#### Report of Registrar General

I have the honor to report 165 applications verified.

ESTELLA A. O'BYRNE,  
Registrar General,  
N. S. D. A. R.



Mrs. O'Byrne moved that the 165 applicants whose records have been verified by the Registrar General be elected to membership in the National Society. Seconded by Miss Matthies. Carried.

Mrs. Haig moved that 9 former members be reinstated. Seconded by Mrs. Goodfellow. Carried.

The Historian General, Mrs. Lee, asked that the names of the new State Historians be sent to her, and that every effort be made to push forward and complete the Bell Tower Project at Valley Forge.

The Librarian General, Mrs. Smith, stated that a letter will go out this summer with a list of the books wanted from each State for the Library. She said this was the fiftieth anniversary of the Library and they wanted as large a number of books returned as possible, as these were very valuable for reference in obtaining membership.

The Curator General, Mrs. Oberholser, stated that while the Museum cannot give the members anything, it will take very good care of the gifts that come to it.

The Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution, Mrs. Horsfall, urged that all reports be sent in in good order, and that care be taken in sending in cemetery records, to be sure that they are accurate.

Mrs. David D. Caldwell, Chairman of the Buildings and Grounds Committee, presented estimates of cost for redecorating the State Rooms in Memorial Continental Hall, and urged that a program of renovation of this building be undertaken. She then read her report.

### Report of Buildings and Grounds Committee

The District of Columbia Chapter, American Red Cross, has vacated the rooms they occupied in Memorial Continental Hall. The Prisoners of War Section of the National American Red Cross still occupy four rooms. These rooms will be vacated in the next few days.

It is hoped the state regents will undertake to have the rooms under their supervision renovated as soon as possible as we are very anxious to get our furniture belonging in these rooms out of storage.

A letter will be sent to each state regent as soon as feasible giving them the cost of painting and surfacing the floors. This amount will not include the cost of new shades and the shades in all rooms should be replaced.

Again I am appealing for dusting cloths.

LOLLIE H. CALDWELL,  
Chairman.

Announcement was made that, according to action of the February Board meeting, the Special Board meeting in June had been cancelled, and the fall Board meeting would be October 17th, with the preliminary meetings October 15th and 16th.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Manlove, read the minutes, which were approved as read.

Adjournment was taken at 5:10 p. m.

MARJORIE R. MANLOVE,  
Recording Secretary General,  
N. S. D. A. R.





## Editorially Speaking...

DEAR CONTRIBUTORS:

WITH the coming of the Fall months our plans for the Magazine in the new time after the war must be developed in every way possible.

We need the cooperation of all in this task.

Please send all the D. A. R. news you can and we will use all of it for which we have space. We do not want them any longer than 300 words unless by special arrangement with the Editor.

All material must be in our hands by the 10th of each month. Even then we can not promise to print it sooner than sixty days.

The newsprint situation continues to be better and we hope to enlarge the Magazine more and more as time goes by.

By October, chapter meetings should be in full swing. Try to send us concise, newsy reports of them—always typewritten double space.

Never send newspaper clippings. We have no staff to renew and we cannot guarantee their return.

Have you a good suggestion for the Magazine? If you have, send it in. Should we use it we will give you credit for sending us the idea.

Above all, get your friends to take the Magazine. No D. A. R. chapter, state or national officer can afford to be without it.

Awaiting your ideas and full cooperation.

Faithfully your Editor,

ELISABETH E. POE.

DEAR READERS:

A PROPHET once said "Thou shalt show them the way wherein they must walk, and the work that they must do" and how better can we describe the work of the Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine?

In this, the August issue, you will find the minutes of the two National Board meetings held in May. Read them carefully and you will know the work you are supposed to do this coming year.

Read the articles written by the National Chairmen and know the way you must walk in order to carry on this work most efficiently.

Read what other State Societies and other Chapters have done and the way will be made clear to you.

If only a few of the members of our Society know about these plans for the coming year little real work can be done, therefore will each subscriber make sure that every member of her Chapter knows about them?

The easiest way for all to know is for all to subscribe to the Magazine and to read it and learn the way wherein to walk and the work they must do for the success of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

Yours most sincerely,

ISABELLE C. NASON,

National Chairman.

## Lineage Books

The following Lineage Books are still available:

Volume 1 and Volumes 43 to 86, inclusive .....	\$ .50 each
Volumes 87 to 125, inclusive .....	.75 each
Volumes 126 to 166, inclusive .....	1.50 each

This is a splendid opportunity for Chapters wishing to complete their file of Lineage Books while they are available. Checks should be made payable to Treasurer General, N. S. D. A. R., and should include postage. Books in packages of ten or over may be sent express collect.

# Memorial Bell Tower, Valley Forge

CONTRIBUTIONS AS OF JUNE 30, 1945

Window— Stained Glass		State	Floor Section \$250.00	Chapter Roll			Honor Roll \$10.00	Persons Honored \$100.00	Other gifts to Bldg. Fund
Quota	Paid			Chapters \$25.00	Juniors \$12.50	J.A.C. \$12.50			
\$86.25	\$88.30	Alabama		\$87.50			\$170.00		
1.00		Alaska							
18.95	23.45	Arizona		87.50			140.00		
52.15	45.10	Arkansas					190.00		
246.15	276.93	California	\$250.00	837.50			1,090.00	\$100.00	
109.60	161.93	Colorado	250.00	237.50			260.00		\$21.74
2.40	2.35	Canal Zone							
247.00	227.85	Connecticut	250.00	307.50			200.00		
16.15	16.80	Delaware					30.00		3.20
177.70	181.40	Dist. of Columbia	250.00	325.00			770.00		
112.35	112.83	Florida	133.00	50.00			200.00		105.55
220.75	286.08	Georgia	250.00	237.50		\$12.50	200.00		
8.65	1.30	Hawaiian Islands		25.00			20.00		
21.15	21.50	Idaho		87.50			80.00		2.50
378.45	256.09	Illinois	250.00	1,075.00			2,440.00		
270.60	270.60	Indiana	250.00	750.00	\$12.50		770.00		
204.90	28.46	Iowa		37.50					
132.25	73.99	Kansas	250.00	325.00			1,110.00		31.50
138.55	152.25	Kentucky		300.00			490.00		
61.70	54.64	Louisiana	250.00	287.50			240.00		30.00
96.05	83.88	Maine		12.50			250.00		
78.50	112.00	Maryland	250.00	325.00			460.00		
286.55	249.35	Massachusetts		300.00			370.00		
221.75	221.75	Michigan	250.00	175.00			430.00		5.00
103.15	81.42	Minnesota	107.50	512.50			580.00		
82.45	104.65	Mississippi	250.00	75.00			100.00		
214.60	128.64	Missouri	250.00	287.00			440.00		16.00
29.15	31.20	Montana					60.00		
96.85	4.90	Nebraska		37.50			20.00		
4.15	4.30	Nevada		25.00					
100.15	77.35	New Hampshire		37.50			70.00		26.00
250.35	251.24	New Jersey	5.50	762.50			980.00		4.00
20.30	13.40	New Mexico		25.00					
692.50	279.10	New York	250.00	775.00	12.50		760.00		79.85
141.95	167.95	North Carolina	250.00	162.50			330.00		
13.75	14.25	North Dakota	50.00						
378.30	353.24	Ohio	250.00	1,123.50			1,680.00		
77.40	43.35	Oklahoma		50.00					10.00
57.75	19.90	Oregon	250.00	125.00			180.00		
576.35	232.19	Pennsylvania	250.00	637.00		12.50	2,421.00		1,153.00
59.30	49.40	Rhode Island		125.00			30.00		
102.05	106.65	South Carolina	250.00	175.00			300.00		
20.10	5.80	South Dakota	2.10	62.50			20.00		24.00
142.65	75.30	Tennessee		387.50			330.00		
220.25	106.80	Texas	356.50	250.00	12.50		340.00		11.55
10.05	9.55	Utah	170.00	37.50					
75.15	77.53	Vermont		87.50			20.00		5.00
196.95	209.45	Virginia	250.00	312.50			820.00		
85.70	77.10	Washington	250.00	187.50			130.00		
138.50	130.85	West Virginia		112.50			150.00		14.00
102.30	80	Wisconsin	35.00	200.00			480.00		10.00
19.05	12.60	Wyoming		32.50			100.00		12.30
		Pa. Juniors	83.42						
		France		25.00					10.00
		California S.A.R.	250.00	25.00			10.00		
		Dames of the Loyal							
		Legion	250.00						
		N. S. Daughters of the							
		Union	250.00						
		79th Div. of the 316th							
		Inf. Association	750.00						
Totals	\$5,617.74		\$7,693.02	\$12,575.00	\$37.50	\$25.00	\$20,261.00	\$100.00	\$1,655.19

Charts appearing in subsequent issues of the Magazine will give the latest available figures from the Treasurer General's office, plus figures sent to the office of the Historian General by the State Treasurers, giving dates on which amounts were mailed to the Treasurer General.

# Department of the Treasurer General

## D. A. R. Membership

STATES	Number of Chapters	Membership as of June 1, 1946		
		Chapter	At Large	Total
ALABAMA.....	44	1,923	17	1,940
ALASKA.....	1	20	1	21
ARIZONA.....	7	426	9	435
ARKANSAS.....	27	1,105	7	1,112
CALIFORNIA.....	97	5,141	159	5,300
CANAL ZONE.....	1	49	1	50
COLORADO.....	36	2,307	15	2,322
CONNECTICUT.....	56	5,126	36	5,162
DELAWARE.....	6	330	1	331
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	60	3,701	90	3,791
FLORIDA.....	35	2,504	65	2,569
GEORGIA.....	84	4,825	17	4,842
HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.....	2	169	2	171
IDAHO.....	10	457	3	460
ILLINOIS.....	113	8,029	99	8,128
INDIANA.....	91	5,795	23	5,818
IOWA.....	94	4,284	39	4,323
KANSAS.....	57	2,812	16	2,828
KENTUCKY.....	57	3,234	20	3,254
LOUISIANA.....	29	1,358	7	1,365
MAINE.....	38	2,040	11	2,051
MARYLAND.....	33	1,641	25	1,666
MASSACHUSETTS.....	102	5,814	58	5,902
MICHIGAN.....	63	4,557	41	4,598
MINNESOTA.....	50	2,096	18	2,114
MISSISSIPPI.....	34	1,828	23	1,851
MISSOURI.....	85	4,516	32	4,548
MONTANA.....	12	626	9	635
NEBRASKA.....	45	2,027	16	2,043
NEVADA.....	1	93	2	95
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	38	2,006	9	2,015
NEW JERSEY.....	84	5,135	77	5,212
NEW MEXICO.....	8	446	1	447
NEW YORK.....	177	14,293	300	14,593
NORTH CAROLINA.....	70	3,073	43	3,116
NORTH DAKOTA.....	10	290	8	298
OHIO.....	124	7,948	64	8,012
OKLAHOMA.....	35	1,750	7	1,757
OREGON.....	30	1,223	10	1,233
PENNSYLVANIA.....	132	11,835	95	11,930
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.....	1	34	1	35
PUERTO RICO.....	1	27		27
RHODE ISLAND.....	23	1,192	7	1,199
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	54	2,166	31	2,197
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	13	386	4	390
TENNESSEE.....	71	3,044	16	3,060
TEXAS.....	76	4,780	43	4,823
UTAH.....	3	192	2	194
VERMONT.....	32	1,526	5	1,531
VIRGINIA.....	82	4,101	60	4,161
WASHINGTON.....	36	1,783	18	1,801
WEST VIRGINIA.....	43	2,906	16	2,922
WISCONSIN.....	44	2,093	17	2,110
WYOMING.....	9	374	23	397
FOREIGN: CHINA.....	1	36		36
CUBA.....	1	60		60
ENGLAND.....	1	45		45
FRANCE.....	2	81		81
GERMANY.....	1	12		12
ITALY.....	1	26		26
AT LARGE.....			23	23
TOTALS.....	2,573	151,726	1,742	153,468

## Children of the American Revolution

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As announced at the banquet on May 23rd, the money paid for the trip, \$2.00 a ticket, would be refunded upon request but it was suggested that each one donate that amount for a special memorial in the Bell Tower. I want to express my gratitude to the many members who followed that suggestion.

Most of the food purchased for the lunch which was to have been served at Valley Forge, was sold, and the caterer needed only

\$14.75 to reimburse her for expenses incurred. There is a balance of \$481.00 in the fund. At the next Continental Congress you will have the opportunity to decide what memorial you wish to place.

Plan to stop at Valley Forge on your way to Continental Congress next year for a dedi-cation service. I hope by that time more bells and stars will have been added to the list of those to be presented.

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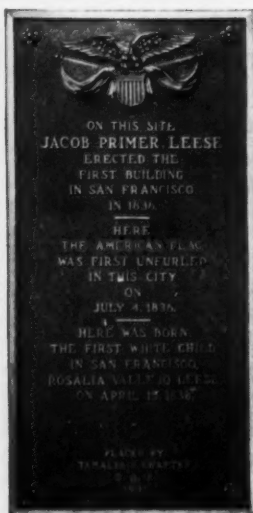
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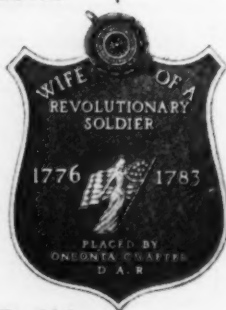
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